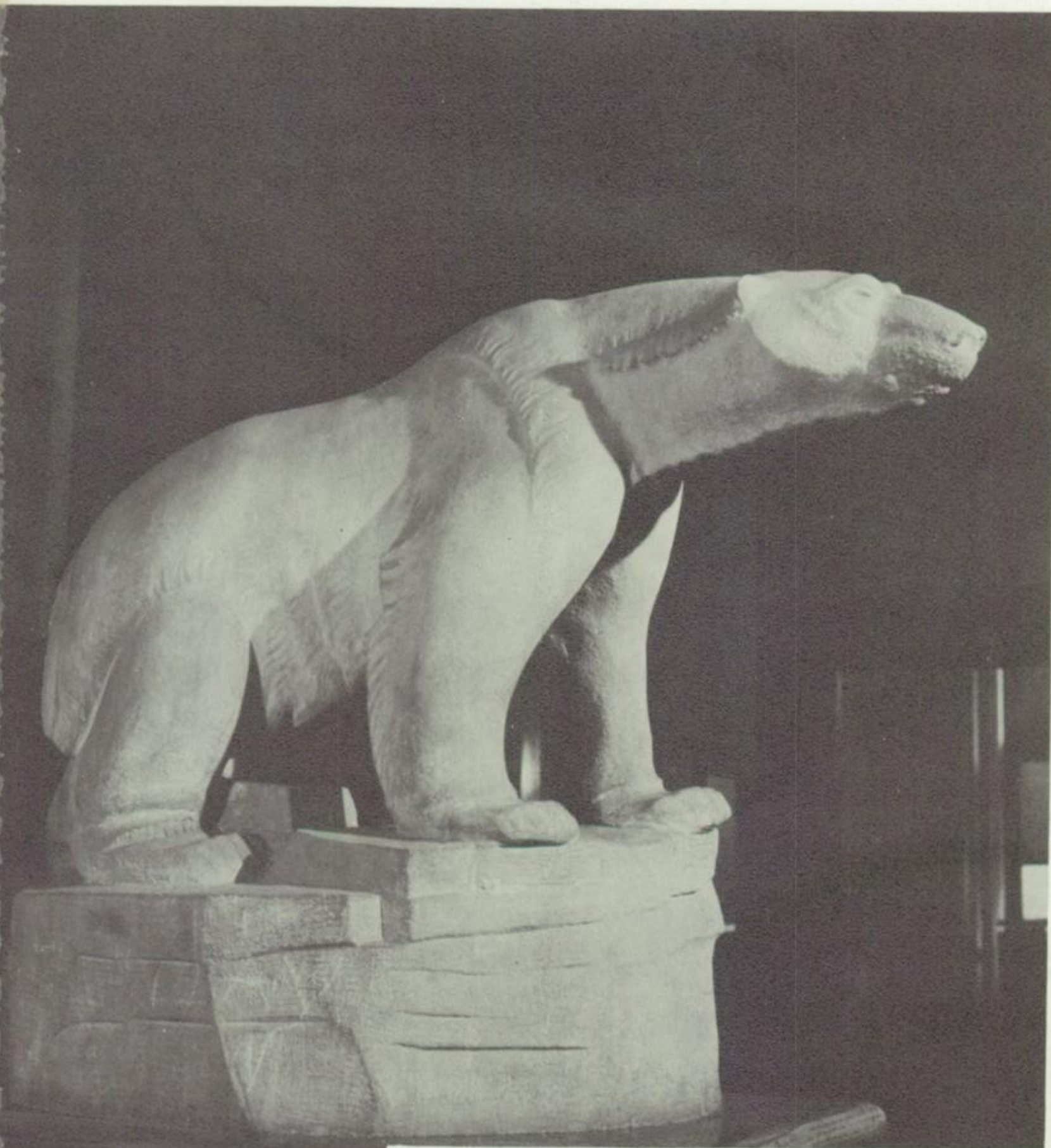






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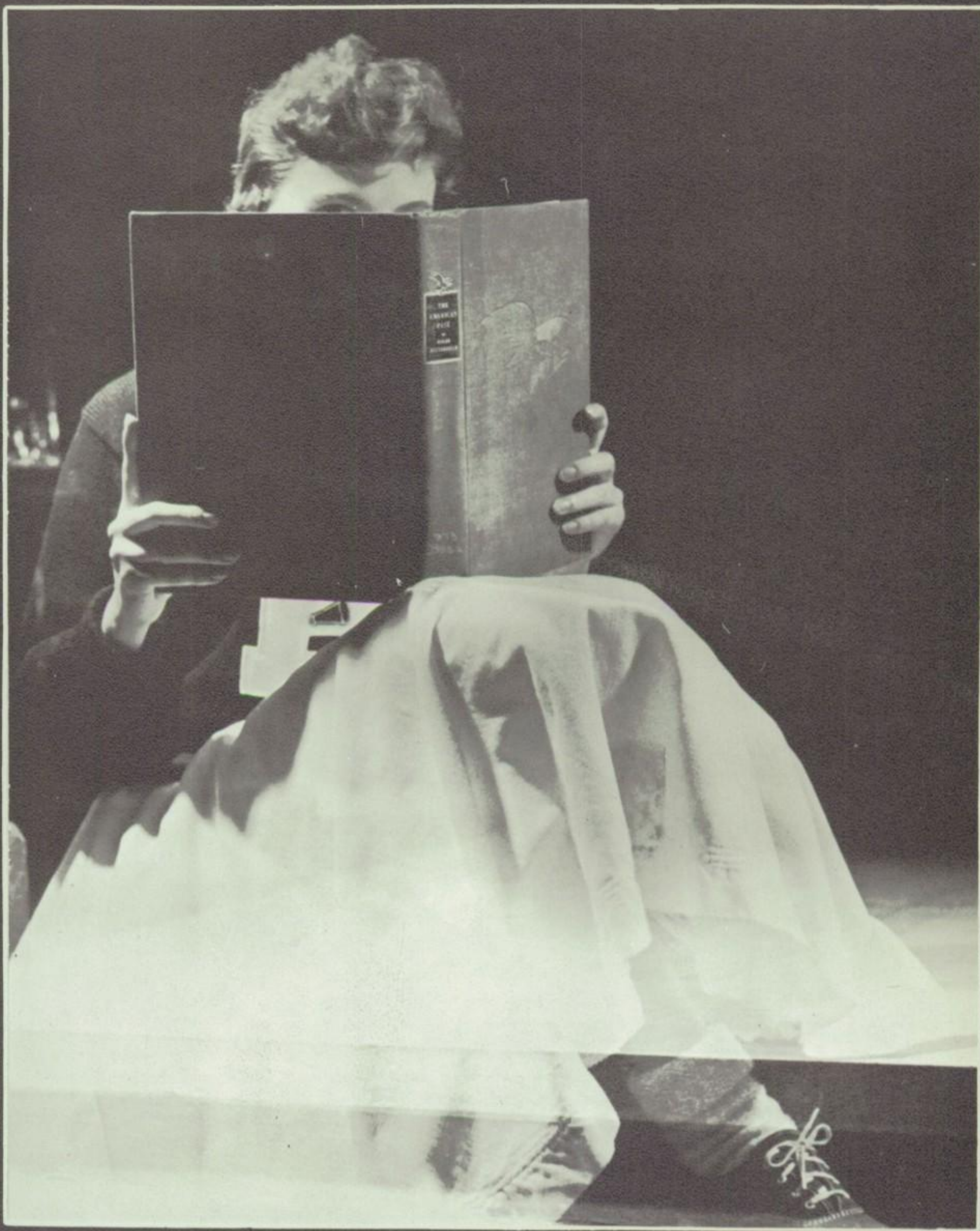
# POLAR BEAR



# FOREWORD

**THIS IS SCHOOL SPIRIT . . .** That magnetic something that makes us root for the team, sing our school song with patriotic fervor and burst with pride when we hear the name Highland Park High School . . . That character-building force among all students endeavoring to further their quest for knowledge . . . All these are part of the internal development that keeps growing, for it cannot stand still and survive . . .







# DEDICATION



We, the members of the Polar Bear Staff, proudly dedicate the 1955 yearbook to the late Liberty Churukian. As editor-in-chief of the Polar Bear Staff in 1954, her outstanding work will remain in the memories of many people.

Liberty, we will endeavor to live up to the honor of winning the All-State Yearbook Award in 1954 under your guidance.



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# GRADUATES

**THIS IS SCHOOL SPIRIT** . . . Graduates, that unfaltering devotion we have shown our high school for four memorable years . . . We have progressed as a group so that the enthusiasm of each individual has found something definite on which to attach itself.







# January Class Officers



ROBERT WONACOTT . . . President  
 . . . Well Spoken . . . Voted Hardest Worker Boy . . . Ambition: Medical Doctor . . . Interests: Sports.



GEORGE LEE . . . Vice-President  
 . . . Voted Best Athlete Boy . . . All State Center . . . Letterman's Club . . . Interests: Sports.



HELEN HAITAIAN . . . Secretary  
 Voted Most Talented Girl . . . Cheerleader . . . Student Senate . . . Steering Committee.



CORNELL VANCIU . . . Treasurer  
 Voted Ideal American Boy . . . Carnival . . . Banquet Co-Chairman . . . Ambition: Engineer.





FRED ALLISON: Ambition: Lawyer; Interests: Hunting.

SHERAN ARCARIS: En. Sing., Carnival & Prom Ch. "Waltz Dream," Con. Choir, Forensic, Latin Clubs; Awards; Quill & Scroll,

ROBERT MARTIN ATLER: French Club; Ambition: Teacher; Interests: Sports.

PHILIP BAIA: Football, Spec., S.A., Lettermen's, Science Clubs; Awards: Football, Spec., Honor Soc.; Ambition: Civil Eng.; Interests: Sports.

JOSEPH BARAKAT: Pres. Civic League, & Inter Clubs, Spanish Club, Vice-Pres. Jr. Red Cross; Awards: Curtis; Ambition: Psychology.

GARY BLACK: Con. & Marching Bands, Radio Station, Biology, Inter. Clubs, Carnival; Awards: Band; Ambition: Radio Eng.; Interests: Radio.

RICHARD BLANDING: Football, Track, Marching Band, Carnival, Prom, Banquet; Awards: Track; Ambition: Phy. Ed.; Interests: Sports, Music.

RICHARD BLENDEA: Carnival, Forensic Clubs, Career Day Rep.; Ambition: Lawyer; Interests: Sports, Music.

JUNE BOEHMER: Carnival, Prom, Banquet, Steering Comm., Spec. Rep.; Ambition: Retail Buyer; Interests: Swimming, Bowling & Dancing.

DALE BOUDRIE: Marching Band, Treas. Bio. Club, Carnival Comm.; Ambition: Make a Million; Interests: Guns, Sports, and Girls.

JAMES BOYLE: Trade Printing, H. P. T. S. Vice Pres.; Ambition: Printer; Interests: Money, Women, Cars, Graphic Arts.

DUANE BRESETT: Carnival, Parade Comm.; Ambition: Professional Hunting & Fishing Guide; Interests: Hunting, Fishing, Guns, & Cameras.

CHARLES BROWNELL: Prom, Banquet, Carnival, Forensic & Spanish Clubs, H. R. Officers; Ambition: Ind. Labor Relations; Interests: Golf.

JOHN BRUCE: Carnival, Banquet, Prom Comm.; Ambition: Go to South America; Interests: Cars, Guns, Hunting, Fishing, Camping.

RONNY BRYANT: Interests: Auto Mechanics.

TED CHAFFIN: Civic League Pres., B. C. L. F. Veep, Con. Choir, Football, Troubadors, Steering Comm.; Ambition: Pilot; Interests: Aviation.

VAN CHANDLER: Carnival, Steering Comm., Marching Band, Lettermen's Club Awards: Football, Baseball; Ambition: College; Interests: Sports.

GROVER CIOTTI: Ambition: Aeronautical Engineer; Interests: Women, Engines, and Cars.







GORDON CLEERE: Football, Pres. Biol. Club, Band, Carnival.



WILLIAM COGER: Track, Football; Awards: 3 Sport Letters, 1 Place Art; Ambition: Welder, Policeman; Interests: Girls, Track.

LUKE COLLINS: Track, Football, Sec. Letterman's Club, Inter. S. C., Eng. Sing., Con. Choir; Awards: 6 Letters; Ambition: Naval Career.



GERALD COULTER: "Stage Door", H. R. Officers, Basketball, Football, Swim., Tennis, Carnival, Dram. Club Veep; Awards: Nat. Thes.

DAVE COURTNEY: Letterman's Club, Aud. Show, Water Show, Swim., Polar Bear Assembly; Awards: 3 Swim.; Interests: Athletics, Music.

ALLAN CURRIN: Banquet, Car. Day Rep., Carnival, Movie Operator & Jewelry Clubs; Ambition: G. M. Test Eng.; Interests: Guns.



MARY DAKESIAN: H. R. Sec., Banquet, Prom, Carnival, French Club, 12A-Dance; Ambition: Social Worker; Interests: Music, Sports.

JERRY DAYINIAN: Biology Club President; Ambition: Auto Business; Interests: Motor Vehicle.

JANICE DeBEAUCLAIR: Publicity for Prom, H. R. Secretary; Ambition: Secretary; Interests: Sports, Office Work.



JULIA DEMAREE: Carnival Co-Chairman, Jr. Sec., G.A.L., Thes. Club, Cheerleader, "Curious Savage"; Awards: Cheerleading; Interests: Ballet.

RICHARD DIX: Orchestra "A", Carnival, Piano Club, Inter. S. C., Jr. Red Cross; Awards: Typing; Ambition: Accountant; Interests: Music.

PATRICIA DOMBROWSKI: Prom, Carnival; Ambition: Secretary; Interests: Sports.



BILL DUNCAN: A. M. Club, Carnival, Fall Play; Ambition: Printer; Interests: Music.

DELANO ESSELMAN: Inter. S. C. Club, H. R. Pres., Con. & March. Bands, Carnival, Track; Awards: Band; Ambition: Medicine; Interests: Sports.

HARRY ETIENNE: Carnival, Prom, Banquet, H. R. Pres., Band, Football, Bio. Club. Swim.; Ambition: Veterinarian; Interests: Sports, Hunting.

CAROLINE EVANS: Awards: (From previous school) Basketball, Swimming, Bowling, Art; Ambition: Housewife; Interests: Family.

ELEANOR FIELD: Eng. Sing., H. R. Pres., Carnival, Prom, Span. Club, "Waltz Dream"; Awards: 1 Art Place, Eng. Sing.; Ambition: College.

MICHAEL FURAY: Carnival, H. R. Officers, Car. Day Rep.; Awards: Honor Soc., Letters; Ambition: Law; Interests: Skiing, Diving.



RONALD GENAW: Pilot, Com. Artist, Music, Arch., Aeronautical Eng., Auto Designer; Awards: 3 Band; Ambition: Com. Artist; Interests: Art.

BERTHA GRAHAM: Modern Dance, Carnival, Christmas Pageant.

CAROLYN GUERIN: Carnival, Polar Bear, Student Council, Steering Committee, Sr. Prom, French, Dramatic, and Forensic Clubs.

ANN HAGOPIAN: Prom, Banquet, Con. Choir, Forensic, French Clubs, Carnival, Fencing Team; Ambition: Med. Doc. Ass't.; Interests: Traveling.

HELEN HAITAIAN: Thespian (Sec.), Quill & Scroll, Prom Comm., Carnival, S.S., Polar Bear Copy Ed., Class Sec.; Awards: Cheerleading

JOHN HARRELL: Forensic, Radio Clubs, Carnival, Con. and Marching Band; Awards: Band; Ambition: Automotive Eng.; Interests: Music, Cars.

PHILIP HAY: Sen. Prom, Banquet, and Carnival, Letterman's Club; Awards: Track, Football; Ambition: Engineer; Interests: Sports.

KATHERINE HENSON: Con. Choir, Treble Clef, Choral Club, H.R. Sec., Banquet Comm.; Ambition: Retail Buyer; Interests: Sports, Music,

DONNA JAY: Prom, Carnival, Forensic, French, Biology Choral Clubs, Fencing; Ambition: Sec.; Interests: Tennis, Traveling.

HERBIE JERNUKIAN: Inter. Student Council, Carnival, School Play, Chess Club; Ambition: Business Ad.; Interests: Automobiles, Riding, Women.

DON JEVITT: Civic League, H.R. Trea., Carnival, Banquet, Prom Comm., Latin Club; Ambition: Civil Engineering; Interests: Sports.

ROSIE KELEGIAN: Con. Choir, Carnival, Treble Clef, Homeroom Vice Pres.; Ambition: Secretary; Interests: Swimming, Sports, Dancing.

MARGARET KOIVU: Thespian Treas., G.A.L., Steer. Comm., Carnival, Polar Bear, Cheerleader; Awards: Thespian, Cheerleading, Quill & Scroll.

CAROL KUPALIAN: French (Sec.), Dram. Clubs, H.R. Veep., Banquet, Prom, Carnival Comm., Polar Bear; Awards: Shorthand, Quill & Scroll.

EDDIE LAMB: Science, Biology, Model Airplane, Projectionist Clubs, Spec. Rep.; Ambition: Geologist; Interests: Hot Rods.

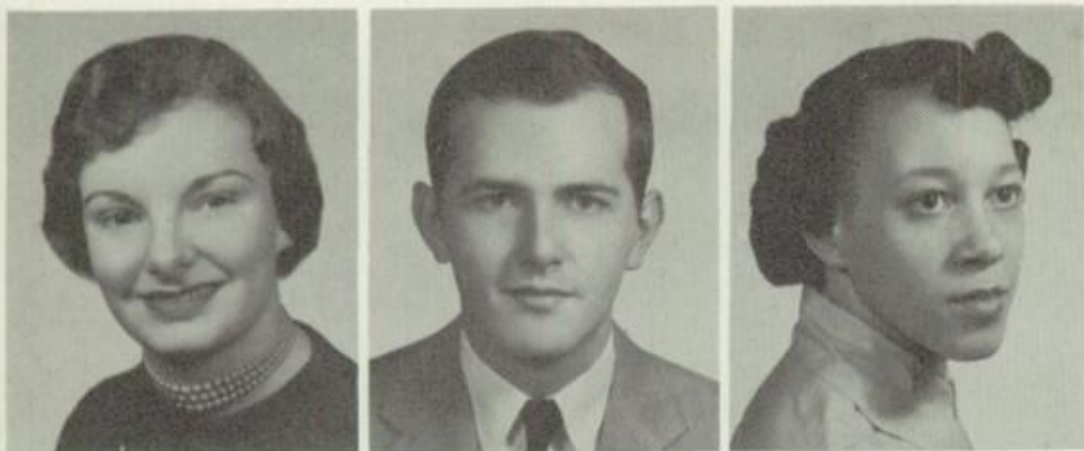
GEORGE LEE: Basketball, Baseball, Track, Class Veep, Carnival, Steer. Comm., H.R. Veep; Awards: Basketball Baseball, Track;

NANNIE LEWIS: A. M. Club; Ambition: Nurse; Interests: Tennis.

TOM LEWIS: Track, Football, Carnival, Marching Band; Awards: Track, Football; Ambition: Aeronautical Engineer; Interests: Sports.







JOANNE McDONOUGH: Forensic, Choral Clubs, Banquet, Carnival, Comm., Con. Choir, Fencing; Ambition: Nurse; Interests: Fencing, Travel.

KENNETH McRAE: Movie Operator's Club, Carnival, "Waltz Dream" Props; Awards: Art Key; Ambition: Soc. Worker; Interests: Art, Music.

DELORES MACK: Future Nurse, Modern Dance Clubs, Basketball, Hockey, Carnival, Banquet; Ambition: Dietician; Interests: Sports.

MARY MAIZY: International Club; Awards: Writing; Ambition: Education in America; Interests: Music.

MARY MAULE: Hockey, Piano, French Clubs, Carnival, Banquet; Awards: Music, Mag. Cert.; Ambition: Sec.; Interests: Piano.

ANITA MEKHITARIAN: Awards: Shorthand; Ambition: Secretary; Interests: Traveling, Sports, Music.

NANCY MERTOIAN: Carnival, Dance Committee, Concessions; Ambition: Secretary; Interests: Dancing, Swimming.

RICHARD MERTOIAN: H.R. Veep, Red Cross Club, Christmas Pageant, Props; Interests: Selling.

RUBY MILLER: Intercultural St. Council, Hockey, Modern Dance, Carnival, Banquet, Basketball; Awards: Hockey; Ambition: Seamstress.

BENJAMIN MONACO: International Club, Football, Carnival Ch., Tennis, H.R. Officer; Interests: Electronics.

SHARON MORGAN: Carnival, G.A.L., Hockey, Banquet; Awards: Hockey; Ambition: Phys. Ed. Teacher; Interests: Sports, Traveling.

LAWRENCE MULLINS: Carnival; Ambition: Electrician; Interests: Cars, Football, Baseball.

MARILYN NIVA: G.A.L., Carnival, Banquet Comm., Hockey Team; Awards: Field Hockey; Ambition: Nurse; Interests: Sports, and Travel.

JAMES PATTISON: French Club (Pres.), Carnival, Con. Choir, "Stage Door", "Waltz Dream", "Mikado"; Ambition: Pro. Dancer.

FRED POUNDS: Stage, Carnival, S.S., Football, H.R. Vice-Pres., Stage (plays, concerts); Awards: Thespian; Ambition: Auto Racing.

FRED RAJANIEMI: H.R. Pres., Carnival, Swimming Team, Stage Crew; Awards: Swimming; Ambition: State Trooper; Interests: Swimming, Cars.

GEORGE RAKOLTA: Football, Baseball Teams, H.R. Pres., 11th Grade Treas., Val., Honor Soc.; Awards: Football, Baseball; Ambition: Med.

JACK REYNOLDS: Baseball, Swim., Football, Tennis Teams, H.R., Lettermen's Veep; Awards: Swim. (2), Baseball (2); Ambition: Phys. Ed. Teacher.



JOHN ROAN: Thespian, Carnival, Chess, Science Clubs, Stage Crew, Movie Operator; Awards: Tennis; Ambition: Radio, T.V.; Interests: Tennis.

DALE ROBINSON: Thespian, Forensic Veeps, Spec. Ed., Banquet, Carnival, Polar Bear, "Stage Door" Director; Awards: Thespian, Spec.

HARRY SALMU: International Club, Intercultural Student Council; Ambition: Civil Engineering; Interests: Sports in general.

CHARLES SAULTER: Lettermen's Club, Carnival Comm.; Awards: Three Letters; Ambition: Med. Tech.; Interests: Sports, Girls.

BILLY SCOTT: Carnival, Lettermen's Club, H.R. Pres. (9th); Awards: Football (2); Ambition: Electrician; Interests: Sports, Jazz Music.

GORDON STUBENRAUCH: Ambition: Auto-Mech.; Interests: Hunting, Fishing, Women and Cars.

TONY SUBIC: Football, Carnival; Awards: Letter in Football; Ambition: Policeman; Interests: Sports, Women.

JOHN SUMNER: "A" Band Veep, Forensic Club Pres., Latin Club, Swim. Team, Orch.; Awards: Band; Ambition: Mech-Eng.; Interests: Swimming.

ARLENE TAPANI: Forensic, Biology, French, Choral Clubs, Prom, Carnival, Banquet, Fencing, Treble Clef; Ambition: Sec.; Interests: Travel, Sports.

RAYEANNE TARPINIAN: Forensic Club; Ambition: Sociologist; Interests: Sports, Travel, Bowling, Car Races.

DORRIS THOMAS: Future Nurses, Modern Dance Clubs, Basketball, Hockey, Banquet, Carnival; Ambition: Home Ec. Teacher; Interests: Model.

JAMES UPRIGHT: Spectator Rep., Banquet, Stage; Ambition: Electrical Engineer; Interests: Cars.

CORNELL VANCIU: H.R. Pres., 11th Pres., 12th Treas., Basketball, German Club; Awards: Basketball; Interests: Sports, Money.

JAMES VICKERS: "Waltz Dream", "Stage Door", Con. Choir, Eng. Sing., Carnival, Piano Club, Park-Hi Quart.; Awards: Eng. Sing.

LITHA WALKER: Treble Clef, French Club, Carnival, Voice Culture; Ambition: Secretary; Interests: Archery, Typing, Sewing.

BOB WEEMS: Intercultural, Biology, Hi-Y Clubs; Ambition: Psychiatrist; Interests: Books, Cars, Records, Boxing.

CARLENE WELDY: Carnival, Banquet, Career Day Rep., 12th Dance Comm.; Ambition: Secretary; Interests: Traveling, Sports, Home Ec.

THEOLA WILLIAMS: Interculture Rep., Prom, Carnival, Future Nurses, Red Cross Clubs, Glee Club; Ambition: Nurse; Interests: Sports.







ROBERT WONACOTT: 12th Pres., Banquet Committee Chairman, Biology Club, Carnival; Interests: Music, Science.

LURLEAN WRIGHT: Red Cross, Prom, "Stage Door" Ticket Chair., Carnival, Banquet; Ambition: Teaching; Interests: Swimming, Dancing.

CAROLYN WYTE: Asst. Editor Literary Magazines; Ambition: Writer; Interests: Piano, Reading, Classical Music.

RICHARD YARMY: Spec. Sports Ed., Aud. Show Co-Chairman, Football, Track, Band, Letterman's, Dram. Clubs; Awards: Football, Band, Honor Soc.

FRANK YOUNG: Carnival, Banquet; Interests: Cars, Sports and Music.

JACK ZARATZIAN: H.R. Veep, Treas., Sec., Career Day Rep.; Ambition: Pilot; Interests: Flying and Sports.

### CAMERA SHY

EDWARD GHANNAM: Carnival, H.R. Mag. Drive Rep., Inter. Club, Red Cross, Banquet; Ambition: Electrician; Interests: Girls, Cars, Baseball.

FLORENCE HUNTER

RICHARD JONES

DONALD MASON: Fall Play Comm., Chess, Career-Day Rep., Spec. Rep.; Awards: Sal, Honor Soc.; Ambition: Physicist; Interests: Math., Astronomy.

STANLEY MITCHELL: Carnival; Ambition: Pro Singer; Interests: Singing.

PAUL PELTO: Homeroom Vice-President; Ambition: Banking; Interests: Cars and Sports.

DAVID SMITH: Band, Bio. Club Treas., Red Cross Club; Ambition: M.S.C.; Interests: Sports, Music, Art, Cooking and Baking.

CHRISTINE SPRINGER: Ambition: Nurse.

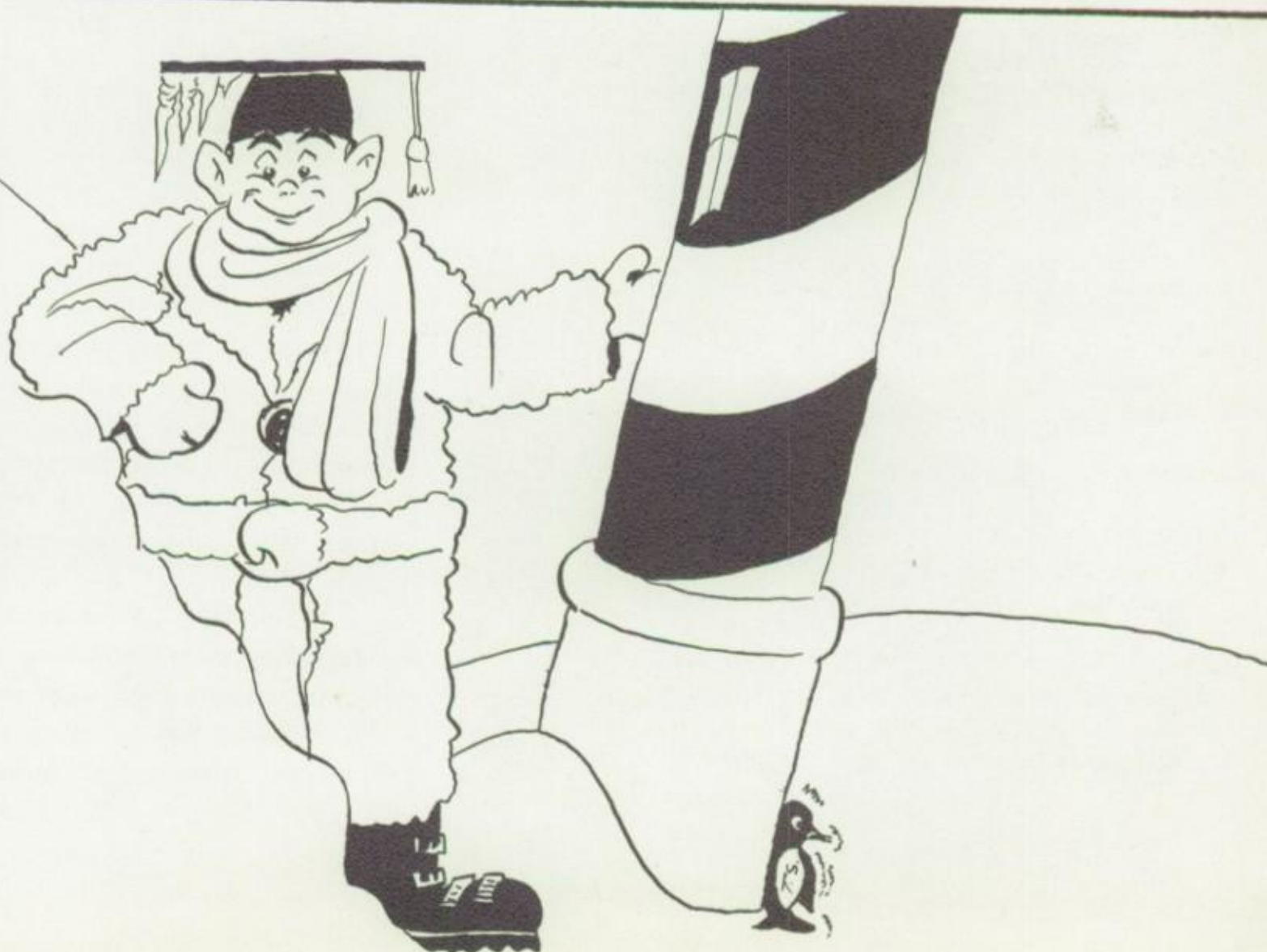
GEORGE VESTEVICH: H. P. T. S. Pres., Trade Print. Super., H. R. Treas., Civic League, Carnival, Spec. Rep.; Ambition: Printer.

CAROL VOSBURGH: Spec., Quill & Scroll Treas., Forensic, Chess, Science Clubs, Int. St. Council; Awards: Quill & Scroll; Ambition: M.D.; Interests: Fencing.



# January Senior Poll

Ideal American Girl.....	Carolyn Geurin
Ideal American Boy.....	Cornel Vanciu
Class Wit.....	Fred Pounds
Girl Most Likely To Succeed.....	Carol Kupalian
Boy Most Likely To Succeed.....	George Rakolta
Hardest Working Girl.....	Carol Kupalian
Hardest Working Boy.....	Robert Wonacott
Friendliest Girl.....	Mary Dakesian
Friendliest Boy.....	Dale Robinson
Best Girl Athlete.....	Sharon Morgan
Best Boy Athlete.....	George Lee
Best Looking Girl.....	Katherin Henson
Best Looking Boy.....	Michael Furay
Most Talented Girl.....	Helen Haitaian
Most Talented Boy.....	Jim Vickers
Cutest Couple.....	Carolyn Geurin and Dick Yarmy







### JANUARY SENIOR BANQUET

Gathered together for the last time were the Seniors at their Banquet at the Park Shelton Hotel. Heading the committee were Cornell Vanciu and Margie Koivu. Faculty advisors. Mr. James Wink and Mr. Alan Hutchins. Toastmaster was Dale Robinson. Robert Wonacott (12A President) presented the Class Key to Bob Binkelman (12B President). Entertainment was supplied by Sheran Arcaris, Eleanor Fields, Adana Grant, Luke Collins, John Sumner, Dick Yarmy, Ron Genaw, Jim Vickers and Mr. George Green, counselor.





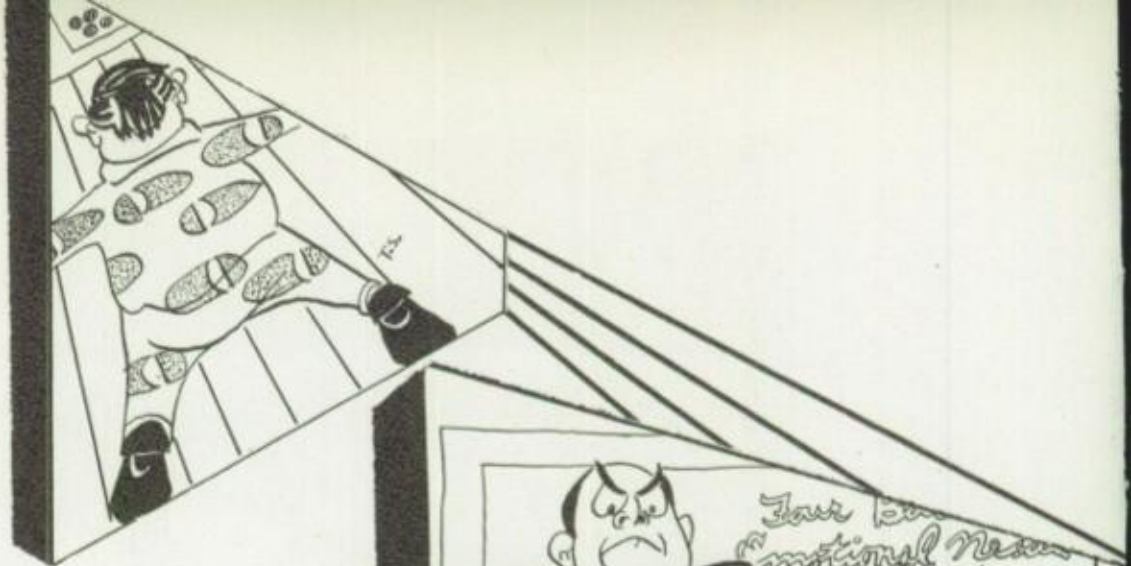
### JANUARY SENIOR PROM

The dimmed lights of the Latin Quarter and the soft music of Jack Cooper and his orchestra helped this year's January Class's Prom to swing pleasantly into the night. The Committee was headed by Co-Chairmen Carolyn Geurin and Eleanor Fields. Mrs. Rosina Roy and Miss Myrrl Hight were faculty advisors. Others included Sheran Arcaris (ticket chairman), June Boehmer, Helen Haitaian, Dick Yarmy, Birt Etienne, Carol Kupalian, Philip Hay, Mary Dakesian, and Charles Brownell.

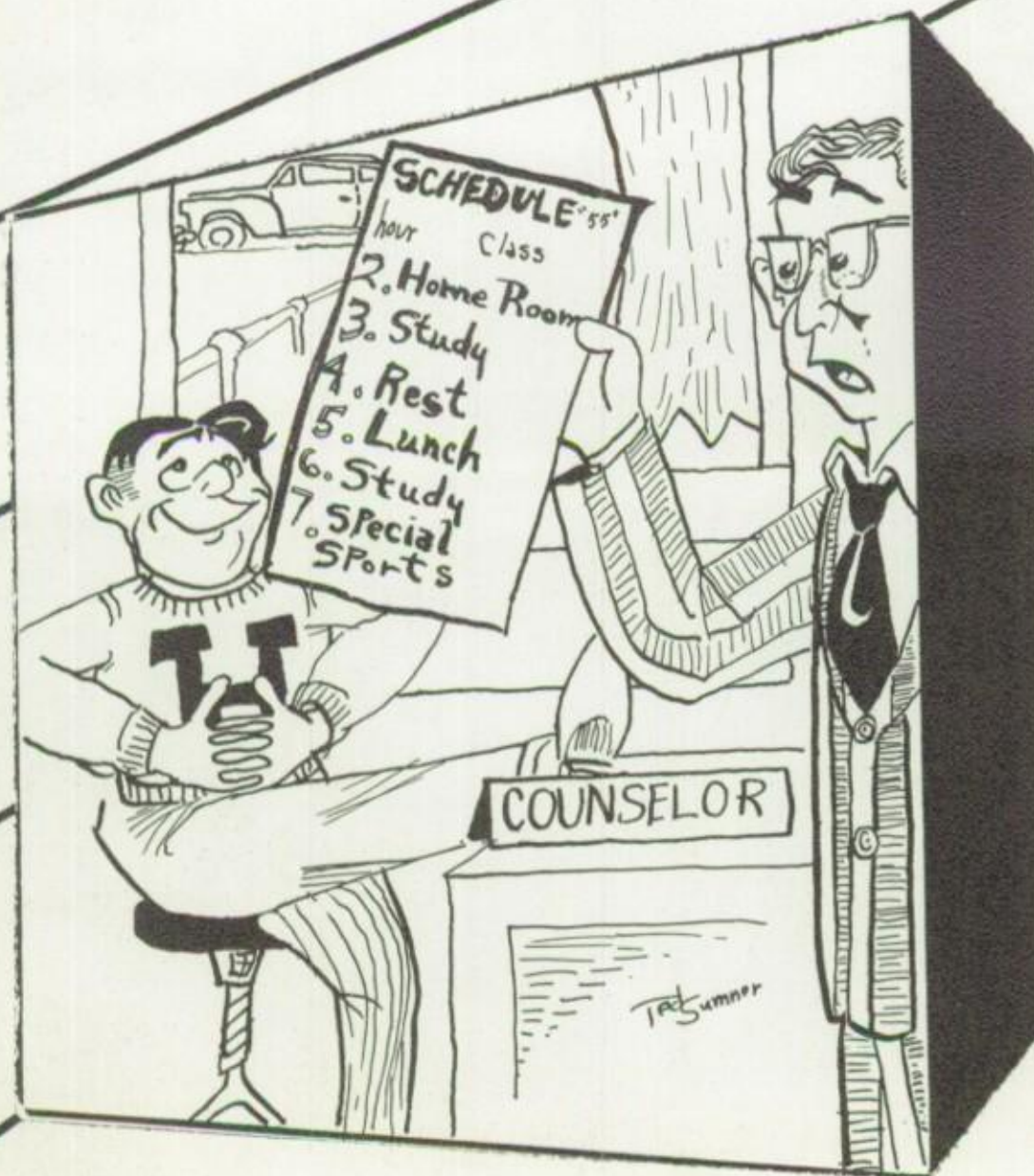




Stampede



Serious Study!



Full Schedule?

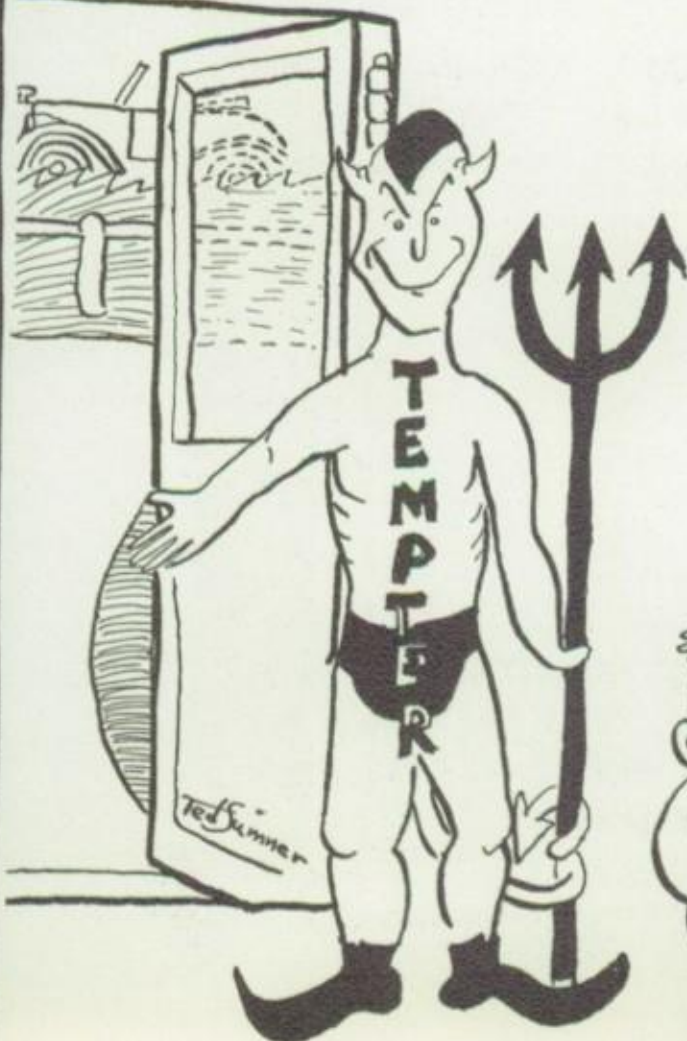


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## Last Hour?



# June Class Officers



BOB BINKLEMAN . . . President  
 . . . Voted Friendliest Boy and Most  
 Likely To Succeed . . . Ambition:  
 Physical Education.



PAT FOX . . . Vice-President . . .  
 Voted Most Friendly Girl . . . Thes-  
 pian . . . Ambition: Medical Assist-  
 ant.



BOB BAKER . . . Secretary . . . Stu-  
 dent Senate . . . Voted Class Wit  
 . . . Band . . . Ambition: Engineer.



DOMINIC PALAZZOLO . . . Treas-  
 urer . . . Voted Best Looking Boy  
 . . . Carnival . . . Ambition: Mech-  
 anical Engineer.





NADIA ABRAMOVITCH: Carnival, German Club; Ambition: Telephone Operator; Interests: Records, Dancing, Bowling.

BETTY AIKEN: Spanish Club, Banquet, Hockey; Ambition: Stenographer; Interests: Music, Sports

BOB ALTON: Football, Track, Carnival; Award: Gold Key; Interests: Sports.

JOANNE AMBROSE: French Club Pres., Christmas Pageant, Carnival.

LUCRETIA AMODEO: Spec, "Heiress", "Stage Door", "Blithe Spirit", Polar Bear, Thespian, Carnival Ch., Intercultural Council Sec.

SUZANNE ANGROVE: Carnival; Interests: Swimming, Dancing, Progressive Jazz; Ambition: Attend College.

RUSSELL ANTHONY: Carnival; Interest: Basketball; Ambition: Engineer.

DORA JILL ARNOLD: Swimming Team Capt., Thespians Sec., G.A.L. Veep, "Stage Door", Tennis, Cheerleader, S.S., Prom, Carnival, French Club.

PATRICIA ASWORTH: Biology Club, Glee Club, Mixed Chorus; Interests: Skating, Music, Cooking; Ambition: Nurse.

GEORGE ASKER: Carnival, International Club; Interests: Music, Art, Sports, Politics; Ambitions: Mechanic, Engineer and Politician.

BOB BAILEY: C.A.P., H.R. Treas., Carnival, S.S., Movie Operators Club.

BOB BAKER: Class Sec., Band Pres., Tennis Team, "Stage Door", Carnival, S.S., Banquet; Awards: Band, Tennis.

DAVID BARKO: Polar Bear, Careers Day, Banquet, Carnival; Award: Gold Key; Ambition: Theatrical Advertising.

MARVIN BARTLE: Banquet, Carnival.

BARBARA BATES: Carnival, Concert Choir, Banquet; Ambition: Farmer's Wife.

CAROLYN BERTA: G.A.L. Carnival, Girls Glee Club, H.R. Treas., Sec., Polar Bear Assembly, "Stage Door", "Heiress", "Curious Savage".

CAROLANN BINKELMAN: Concert Choir, S.S., English Singers, H.R. Veep, Choral Club, Carnival, Christmas Pageant, Library Staff, Horseback Club.

ROBERT BINKELMAN: Class Pres., H.R. Pres., Carnival, Track, Football Team Capt.; Award: Football.







RAYMOND BLAKE: WHPR Chief Engineer, Carnival, Science Club Pres.; Interest: Radio.

DICK BOHACEK: Hockey, Basketball; Ambition: Welder; Interests: Sports.

FERNANDO BOJORQUEZ: Baseball, Letterman's Club, Troubadors; Award: Baseball, Football.

KEN BOND: Banquet, Carnival; Interests: Cars, Sports; Ambition: Mechanical Engineer.

MARTHA BOOTHE: Cheerleader, Swimming Team Mgr., Tennis Team, G.A.L., Carnival; Awards: Swimming, Cheerleading.

RAY BOYD: Interest: Sports.

JAMES BOYLE: Carnival, Banquet.

PATRICIA BRESETT: Red Cross, French Club; Interests: Reading, Bowling; Ambition: Secretary.

NANCY BRIGHT: Carnival, Intercultural Council Sec., S.S., Treble Clef, Careers Day, Future Nurses Club; Award: Shorthand.

PAUL BURTON JR.: Interests: Hot Rodding, Skating, Sailing, Photography.

JOHN BUTLER: Swimming Team, Letterman's Club, Carnival; Award: Swimming; Interests: Swimming; Ambition: Engineer.

BETTY CARPENTER: Carnival; Interests: Sports; Ambition: Beautician.

CAROL ANN CARTER: Spec Page Ed., French Club Veep, Carnival, "Waltz Dream", Concert Choir.

MARY CARTER: "The Heiress", "Blythe Spirit", "Stage Door", Thespian, Concert Choir, Carnival, Prom, English Singers, Christmas Pageant.

ALFRED CATHEY: H.P.T.S. Pres., H.R. Officer; Award: Curtess; Interest: Music.

ILENE CHARLTON: Carnival, Banquet; Interests: Dancing, Music, Swimming.

SHIRLEY CHANCEY: French Club, Treble Clef, Carnival; Award: Shorthand; Interests: Records, Dancing; Ambition: Secretary.

JAMES CLARKE: Radio Engineers Club, Carnival; Interests: Radio, Photography; Ambition: Tool Designer.



**SAM CHELIAN:** Football, Basketball, Baseball, Stage Crew, H.R. Officer; Interests: Sports; Ambition: Business Executive.

**JUDITH CLIMER:** Thespian, Carnival, H.R. Sec., Treble Clef, Swimming Team; Award: Typing.

**BETTY COCHRAN:** Forensics Club, Carnival, Red Cross Club; Interests: Music, Sports; Ambition: Secretary.

**JOHN COLLIER:** Carnival, H.R. Pres., Prom; Interests: Cars, Sports; Ambition: Engineer.

**ROBERT CROSSMAN:** Carnival; Ambition: Drawing.

**GWENDOLYN CRUSOR:** Red Cross Club, Modern Dance Club; Interests: Swimming, Dancing.

**EDWARD DAVIS:** Interests: Bowling, Golf.

**BARRY DECHANT:** WHPR, Radio Engineers Workshop, Radio Workshop, Radio Engineers Club, Carnival.

**JOY DENNIS:** Intercultural Council Veep, Carnival, Concert Choir, Future Nurses Club, Paper Drive; Ambition: Nurse.

**FRANK DONAR:** "Curious Savage", "Stage Door", "Blythe Spirit", Thespian Veep, H.R. Pres., Carnival, Orchestra Pres., Basketball Stac.

**DONNA LEE DREWS:** H.R. Pres., Carnival; Interests: Drawing, Painting; Ambition: Medical Assistant.

**JAMES GLEN DUNCAN:** Spec, Forensic Treas., H.R. Pres., Prom, Magazine Ch., Carnival.

**EVELYN DUNN:** Spanish Club Veep, Carnival, Youth Council; Interests: Dancing, Sewing, Reading; Ambition: Teacher.

**FERNIE JEAN DUNSCOMBE:** French Club, G.A.L., Carnival Ch., Magazine Ch.; Award: Typing; Ambition: Elem. Teacher.

**PINKNEY DURHAM:** Red Cross Club, Movie Operators Club Pres., Carnival, Polar Bear; Ambition: Doctor.

**SHIRLEY EADIE:** Carnival, Concert Choir; Interests: Reading, Cooking; Ambition: Teacher.

**DOROTHY EDWARDS:** Carnival, Modern Dance Club, Careers Day, Glee Club; Interests: Roller Skating; Ambition: Secretary.

**GLORIA ELLIOTT:** Carnival, Dramatics Club, French Club, Piano Club; Award: Shorthand; Ambition: Secretary.







**JAMES FARR:** Carnival, Magazine Drive Ch., Awards: Football, Curtess; Ambition: Engineering.

**JERRY FIELDS:** Basketball Team, Track Team, Carnival, Letterman's Club; Awards: Basketball, Track; Ambition: Coach.

**PATRICIA FOREHAND:** Carnival, Careers Day, Spanish Club Sec., Banquet, G.A.L., Jr. Prom, Cheerleader; Ambition: Medical Assistant.

**ALEXANDER FORONDA:** Tennis Team, Carnival, Chess Club, Banquet; Award: Tennis, Art; Ambition: Engineer.

**PATRICIA FOX:** Class Veep, S.S. Treas., Thespian, Carnival, G.A.L., "Curious Savage", "The Heiress"; Ambition: Medical Assistant.

**JUDY FRIEDMAN:** Concert Band, Marching Band, Tennis Team, Swimming Team; Awards: Tennis, Swimming; Ambition: Occupational Therapist.

**JACK KAKUSIAN:** International Club, "Waltz Dream", H.R. Pres., Concert Choir, Carnival Ch.; Interests: Sports, Music; Ambition: Engineer.

**DONNA GATES:** Spanish Club, Spec, Red Cross Club, G.A.L.; Ambition: Medical Assistant.

**GERALD GAUGHAN:** Quill & Scroll, C.A.P., R.O.T.C., Carnival, Polar Bear; Ambition: Aviator.

**DENNIS GIMBEL:** Interests: Business, Mechanics, Sports; Ambition: See the World.

**JERROLD GORDON:** Carnival, Team Club Council, H.R. Veep; Interest: Air Force.

**SHIRLEY GORMAN:** French Club, International Club, Carnival, Banquet, Perspective; Ambition: Beautician.

**GEORGE GOULSON:** Carnival.

**ADANA GRANT:** Concert Choir, English Singers, G.A.L. Pres., Quill & Scroll Pres., Cheerleader, Polar Bear, Carnival, "Waltz Dream".

**JOHN GREEN:** Interests: Horses, Motorcycles; Ambition: Welder.

**RICHARD GREEN:** Chess Club, Prospective Business Manager; Interests: Sports, Writing; Ambition: Lawyer.

**SHARON GREEN:** Banquet, H.R. Pres.; Interest: Swimming; Ambition: Medical Assistant.

**VINCE GULLI:** Banquet, Carnival; Interests: Cars,



FRED GUNDERSON: Swimming Team, Track Team, Letterman's Club, Banquet, H.R. Pres., Biology Club, Carnival, Careers Day Ch.

ROBERT HALL: French Club, Movie Operators Club, Concert Choir; Award: English Singers; Ambition: Attend Medical School.

VICTOR HANNAWI: International Club, Red Cross Veep, Carnival; Interests: Sports, Music; Ambition: Civil Engineer.

CAROL HARTLEY: Carnival; Interests: Sewing, Sports; Ambition: Secretary.

ED HEINONEN: Intercultural Council, Carnival, Magazine Drive; Award: Curtiss; Interests: Fishing, Hockey.

GLENN HERRIMAN: Carnival Ch., Band, Orchestra Treas., English Singers, Concert Choir, Dramatics Club, "Mikado", "Blythe Spirit", "Stage Door".

RUBY HILL: Cheerleaders Capt., Basketball, Baseball, G.A.L., Future Nurses Club; Award: Cheerleading; Ambition: Nursing.

ELIZABETH HINES: Carnival; Interests: Music, Poetry; Ambition: Social Worker.

JULIANNE HORVATH: German Club, Piano Club, Carnival, "Waltz Dream"; Ambition: Teacher.

TERIA HOUVRAS: English Singers, Concert Choir, Carnival Ch., Jr. Prom, Banquet, French Club, "Stage Door", Orchestra.

JAMES HOVIS: Science Club, Carnival, Polar Bear Assembly; Award: Gold Key; Ambition: Doctor.

EDWARD IACOVACCI: Carnival, Baseball, H.R. Officer; Ambition: Dentist.

OTTO JENSEN: Thespian, Carnival, "The Heiress", "Stage Door", "Jane Eyre", "Our Town", Movie Operators Club.

JO ANN JOHNSON: Carnival; Interests: Sports; Ambition: English or Math Teacher.

NANCY JOHNSON: Banquet, Spanish Club, H.R. Sec., Spec; Interests: Sports, Music; Ambition: Teacher.

MARILYN JO KAMISCHKE: English Singers, Concert Choir, Spanish Club, Carnival, Band, Polar Bear, Banquet, S.S., Christmas Pageant.

SHEILA KENNEDY: Thespian, Quill & Scroll, Concert Choir, Jr. Prom, Carnival, S.S., Polar Bear, "Curious Savage", "Stage Door".

OMAR KHALISS: Chess Club, International Club; Interests: Photography, Sports, Car Racing; Ambition: Diplomatic Career.







JOE KILLEBREW: Carnival, "Stage Door", Prom, Football; Interests: Sports.

ADRIENNE KIRK: Forensic Club, French Club, Banquet, Concert Choir, English Singers, Debate Team, S.S., Christmas Pageant.

KATHLEEN KOIVU: Carnival; Interests: Music, Dancing; Ambition: Dietician.

VIRGINIA LACQUEMENT: G.A.L., "Stage Door", Carnival; Awards: Typing, Shorthand; Interests: Swimming; Ambition: Secretary.

SHARON LINTON: Polar Bear Editor-in-Chief, Jr. Prom, Quill & Scroll Veep, Carnival, Prom, French Club, S.S., Christmas Pageant, "Stage Door".

ANN LIU: Spec Page Ed., Cheerleader, G.A.L., "Stage Door", Quill & Scroll Sec., Carnival, Concert Choir, Thespian, Honor Society.

PATRICIA LOEWE: Swimming Team, Prom, Banquet, Carnival, S.S., German Club, Capt. Golf Team, H.R. Sec.; Awards: Golf, Swimming.

WILLIAM B. LOUDEN: Carnival; Interests: Drafting, Sports, Photography; Ambition: Medical Missionary.

CHARLES T. LYNCH: Jr. Class Pres., "Blithe Spirit", Letterman's Club, Carnival, Concert Choir; Awards: Honor Society, Football, Swimming.

JANICE McALLISTER: Carnival Ch., Banquet, Tennis Team, Jr. Prom, H.R. Sec., Treas., "Stage Door", "Blithe Spirit"; Award: Tennis.

TITUS McCLARY: Intercultural Council, Carnival; Interests: Cars, Jet Planes; Ambition: Skilled Craftsman.

PATRICK McKEOWN: Co-Capt. Swimming Team, Letterman's Club, Carnival, Polar Bear Assembly; Awards: Swimming; Interests: Cars.

MARY McLOSKEY: English Singers, Concert Choir, Band, Carnival Ch., S.S., Banquet, G.A.L., Tennis Team; Award: Honor Society.

RONALD K. McMAHAN: Interests: Sports; Ambition: Engineer.

IAN McMEEKING: Choral Club, Science Club, Male Chorus, Concert Choir, Eng. Singers, Carnival; Award: Eng. Singers.

KAY MacDONALD: Marching Band, Concert Orchestra, Spanish Club, Special Glee; Awards: Band, Typing, Shorthand; Ambition: Secretary.

JOANN MANDEL: Ambition: Nurse; Interests: Music, Sports.

SANDRA MANNING: Interests: Bowling, Swimming, Reading; Ambition: Secretarial Work.



ROBERT MANTZ: Carnival Ch.; Ambition: Automobile Business; Interests: Hot Rods.

J. B. MARTIN: Civic League, S.S., Track Team, H.R. Pres., Banquet; Interests: Sports, Music; Ambition: Doctor.

MATTHEW MAPP: Basketball, Football; Interests: Sports.

ISAAC W. MARKS: Banquet, Carnival, Popcorn Concessions; Award: Art; Ambition: Artist.

JACK MARS: Intercultural Council, Carnival; Interest: Sports; Ambition: Commercial Artist.

JUDIE MATTIS: Concert Choir, Eng. Singers, "Waltz Dream", Carnival, "Blithe Spirit", Christmas Pageant, Choral Club; Awards: Music.

WILLIAM MAYFIELD: Band, Marching Band, "Curious Savage", "Stage Door"; Interests: Classical Music; Ambition: Automotive Engineer.

PATRICIA ANN MERRILL: Polar Bear Staff, Carnival, Cheerleader, Forensic Club, Thespian, Jr. Prom, Treble Clef, H.R. Treas.

HARMON MILLARD: Band; Interests: Playing Baritone; Ambition: Business Administration.

PATRICIA MILLER: Carnival, Future Nurses Club; Interests: Sewing, Bowling; Ambition: Nursing.

CHARLES MITCHELL: Carnival, Cross Country Team, S. S.; Interests: Football, Baseball, Basketball; Ambition: Architecture or Engineer.

BETTE GEORGE MOORE: Intercultural Council Pres., Civic League, Carnival, Basketball Team, G.A.L., Majorette; Awards: Basketball, Baton Twirling.

BEN MORTON: Carnival, Banquet, H.R. Officer; Interests: Flying; Ambition: Air Force.

ARLENE MULLIGAN: "Curious Savage", "Stage Door", Spec Page Ed., W.H.P.R., Carnival, Jr. Prom, S.S., G.A.L., Prom, Thespian.

JAMES MUNSON: Honor Society, Football Team, Track Team, H.R. Pres., Letterman's Club Pres., Co-Ch. Carnival; Awards: Football, Track.

NANCY NEALON: Swimming Team, G.A.L. Veep, Carnival, H.R. Sec.; Award: Swimming; Interests: Sports, Books, Music; Ambition: Teacher.

ROBERT NORSWORTHY: H.R. Pres., French Club, Prom, Carnival Ch., C.A.P., H.P.T.S. Veep; Ambition: Printing Teacher.

GERALDINE OIKARI: Carnival, Cheerleader, H.R. Officer, Prom, "Stage Door", "Blithe Spirit", Christmas Pageant; Award: Cheerleading.







**TIM O'ROURKE:** Co-Capt. Swimming Team, H.R. Pres., Prom Ch., Carnival; Award: Swimming.

**VARTAN OSGOYAN:** International Club, French Club; Interests: Drawing; Ambition: Pilot.

**DOMINIC A. PALAZZOLO:** Class Treas., Carnival, Prom, Jr. Class Veep, Jr. Prom, H.R. Officer, Dramatics Club, Football.

**SECONDINA PALLANTE:** Carnival, Banquet; Interests: Sports, Dancing; Award: Shorthand; Ambition: Stenographer.

**DORIS PARKER:** Basketball Team, Carnival, Concert Choir, English Singers, Treble Clef, Future Nurses Club, Choral Club.

**JEANNE PAUSCHERT:** Jr. Class Sec., Jr. Prom, Carnival, Christmas Pageant, Treble Clef, Banquet, H.R. Veep; Ambition: Medical Assistant.

**JANIS PENPRASE:** Spanish Club; Award: Shorthand; Interests: Bowling, Sports; Ambition: Medical Assistant.

**JANET POE:** Thespian, "The Heiress", "Blithe Spirit", "Curious Savage", "Stage Door", Carnival, Forensic Club, S.S., Latin Club; Award: Shorthand.

**PATRICIA PIER:** Biology Club, Tri-Hi-Y, Carnival, G.A.L.; Award: Hockey; Interests: Dancing, Swimming; Ambition: Medical Technician.

**ANTOINETTE POMA:** Carnival, Banquet; Award: Filing; Interests: Swimming, Tennis; Ambition: Office Work.

**JOHN POWER:** H.R. Pres.; Ambition: Physical Education Instructor.

**ANNA MARIA PURCHIARONI:** Carnival, Prom, Class Prophecy, Dramatics Club; Interests: Swimming, Dancing; Ambition: Medical Assistant.

**SIDNEY RAIRIGH:** H.R. Veep, Carnival; Interests: Sports, Cars, Photography; Ambition: Tool & Die Maker.

**ELAINE RASCH:** Thespian, Spec, Polar Bear, Carnival, "Stage Door", "The Heiress", Jr. Prom, S.S., Class Prophecy; Ambition: Elementary Teacher.

**MARY REED:** G.A.L., Carnival, Basketball, Civic League; Award: Basketball; Interests: Sports, Music; Ambition: Medical Technician.

**WILLIAM REED:** Letterman's Club, Carnival.

**DORIS RHODES:** French Club, Carnival; Interests: Reading, Sewing, Dancing; Ambition: Study Psychology.

**RONALD ROBERTSON:** H.R. Pres., Carnival, Letterman's Club, Prom; Award: Swimming.



BETTY ROBINSON: Intercultural Council, Carnival;  
Interests: Bowling, Dancing; Ambition: Teacher.

WILLARD ROSS: Interests: Cars, Machines, Art,  
Music; Ambition: Journeyman Millwright.

AUDLEY SALAH: Carnival; Interests: Art, Sports;  
Ambition: Secretary.

PAT SCHRAMM: German Club; Interests: Dancing,  
Skating, Swimming; Ambition: To Travel.

VIRGINIA SCHULER: Spec Ed-in-Chief, Varsity De-  
bate, Forensic Sec., Thespian, Quill & Scroll,  
Latin Club, "Curious Savage", Orchestra.

DONALD SCHWITTER: Carnival, Letterman's Club,  
H.R. Officer, Basketball Team; Interests: Cars,  
Sports; Ambition: Business Executive.

ROSEMARY SEIFERT: Carnival, Banquet, Future  
Librarians Club; Interests: Reading, Music; Am-  
bition: Librarian.

MARY SEROPULOS: French Club Pres., Spec, Car-  
nival Ch., Concert Choir, Treble Clef; Award:  
French; Ambition: Nurse.

DONALD SHAND: Band; Awards: Basketball, Band;  
Ambition: Navy.

MARY SHEOKMAN: Carnival Ch., Spec, Polar Bear;  
Award: Shorthand; Ambition: Secretary.

KAY SIPES: English Singers, Concert Choir, Piano  
Club, Carnival, "Waltz Dream", Advanced  
Choral Club; Ambition: Stewardess.

SARAH SLAGLE: Concert Choir, "Waltz Dream",  
Carnival, Christmas Pageant; Interests: Jewelry.

MARY SLOAN: Future Nurses Club Sec.; Interests:  
Typing, Business Machines; Ambition: Typist.

GERALDINE SMITH: German Club; Award: Curtiss;  
Interests: Music, Sports; Ambition: Civil Service  
Bookkeeper.

JERRY SOOF: International Club, Jr. Red Cross,  
Carnival; Interests: Driving Cars; Ambition:  
Electrical Engineer.

DONALD SPENCER: Carnival, C.A.P.; Interests:  
Flying, Machine Shop, Boxing; Ambition: Air  
Force Pilot.

CLARENCE SPURR: Varsity Track, Carnival, Cross  
Country; Interests: Sports; Ambition: Policeman.

JACK STANDISH: Interests: Music, Cars, Sports;  
Ambition: Police Administration.



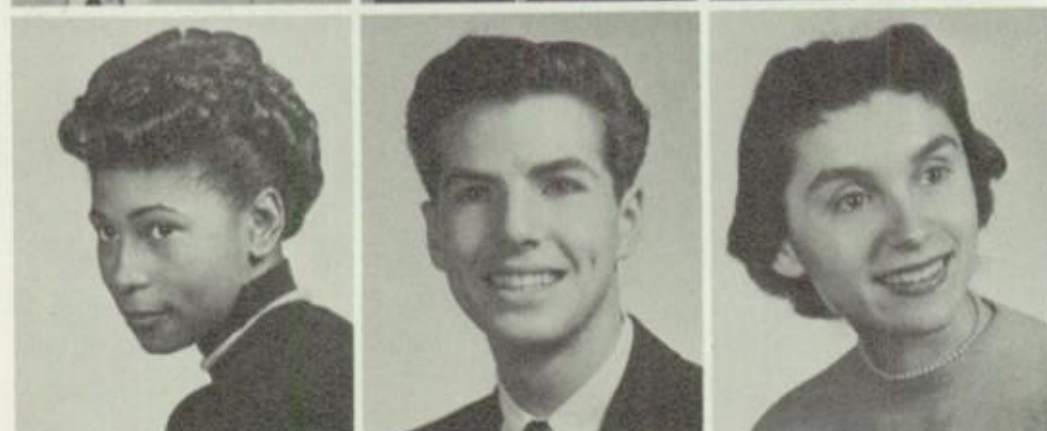




**JACK STOLLE:** Letterman's Club, Carnival, H.R. Officer, Football Team, Swimming Team; Awards: Football, Swimming; Interests: Sports.

**LANA STONE:** Carnival; Interests: Skating, Swimming; Ambition: Officer Work.

**DON STORY:** Carnival, French Club Treas., H. R. Veep, Banquet, Perspective; Award: Gold Key; Ambition: Medicine.



**WILLY BELLE SYKES:** Basketball, Baseball, G.A.L., Future Nurses Club, Carnival; Awards: Basketball, Curtiss; Ambition: Singer, Typist.

**WILLIAM SYMONS:** Varsity Track, H.R. Treas., Band, Carnival, Prom, French Club, S.S., Biology Club, Jr. Prom; Ambition: Engineer.

**MARIETTA TALIANI:** H.R. Sec., Carnival, Modern Dance, Latin Club, Jr. Prom; Interests: Dancing, Swimming; Ambition: Teacher.



**THURMAN TAYLOR:** Varsity Baseball Team, Football Team, Marching Band, Concert Choir, Carnival; Awards: Sports, Band; Interests: Music, Science.

**MILTON TOMPKINS**

**AGNES TRONTL:** Spanish Club, Art Club, Biology Club; Awards: Art, Archery; Interests: Dancing, Music, Singing; Ambition: Social Worker.



**RONNIE D. VALESANO:** Carnival Ch., French Club; Ambition: Engineer.

**PATRICIA MARIE VASILKO:** S.S., Concert Choir, Treble Clef, Prom, Carnival, Christmas Pageant, "Blithe Spirit", Intercultural Council, Spec Rep.

**CHRISTINE VIUKOVICH:** S.S., Latin Club, Carnival, Intercultural Council; Ambition: Teacher.



**TED WARREN:** Interests: Sports, Machinery; Ambition: Tool & Die Maker.

**SHIRLEY WELLS:** Intercultural Council, Treble Clef; Interests: Drawing, Skating; Ambition: Medical Assistant.

**JUDY WILBER:** Debate Team, Forensic, Spec; Interests: Tennis, Astrology, Piano.



**JAMES WILLIAMS:** Banquet, Letterman's Club, Carnival; Award: Track; Interests: Music, Track.

**SUZIANNE WILLIAMS:** Biology Club Sec., International Club Sec., Dramatics Club, Carnival, "Drums of Death", Debate Team, French Club, "Blithe Spirit".

**DICK WYLEMSKI:** Carnival; Interests: Motorcycles; Ambition: Mechanical Engineer.



EDNA WOLFE: Banquet, Carnival, Jr. Red Cross;  
Interests: Popular Music; Ambition: Teacher.

NANCY WOOD: Carnival, Banquet.

RICHARD YARGER: Carnival; Interests: Custom  
Cars, Sports, Radio & TV; Ambition: TV Tech-  
nician.



GERALD YUTZI: Movie Operators Club, Spec Rep;  
Interests: Radio, Photography.

PAT ZAIDAN: Tri-Hi-Y, Carnival; Interests: Swim-  
ming, Baseball; Ambition: Show Business.



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PAUL AUBRY: Interests: Cars, Outdoor Sports and  
Boating.

EVANS BLETSAS: Movie Operators Club, Carnival,  
Latin Club, German Club; Ambition: Air Force;  
Interests: Photography, Radio, TV.

RAYMOND BONIN: Interests: Sports, Cars; Ambi-  
tion: Air Force Career.

KENNETH CROW: H.R. Officer.

WALTER KIDD: Interests: Sports, Cars; Ambition:  
Engineer or Draftsman.

RENATE KWANDT: German Club Pres., French  
Club; Interests: Sports, Painting; Ambition:  
Teacher.

RABON McHENRY: Basketball Team; Awards: Foot-  
ball, Basketball; Ambition: Physical Education  
Teacher.

NORMA OLSON: Spanish Club, Riding Club, H.R.  
Officer; Interests: Music, Bowling, Sewing; Am-  
bition: Secretary.

JIM PALMER: Swimming Team; Award: Swimming;  
Ambition: Welder.

MAURICE ROUFAEL

ARTHUR TRURAN: Track; Interests: Sports; Ambi-  
tion: Welder.

JIM STEPHENS: Football, Baseball, Swimming  
Teams, Letterman's Club, Carnival; Awards:  
Football, Baseball; Ambition: Physical Ed.  
Teacher.



# June Senior Poll

Ideal American Girl.....	Adana Grant
Ideal American Boy.....	Charels Lynch
Class Wit.....	Bob Baker
Girl Most Likely To Succeed.....	Janet Poe
Boy Most Likely To Succeed.....	Bob Binkelman
Hardest Working Girl.....	Ann Liu
Hardest Working Boy.....	Jim Munson
Friendliest Girl.....	Pat Fox
Friendliest Boy.....	Bob Binkelman
Best Girl Athlete.....	Nancy Nealon
Best Boy Athlete.....	Charles Lynch
Best Looking Girl.....	Adana Grant
Best Looking Boy.....	Dominic Palazzolo
Most Talented Girl.....	Mary McLoskey
Most Talented Boy.....	Frank Donar
Cutest Couple.....	Lucretia Amodeo and George Goulson







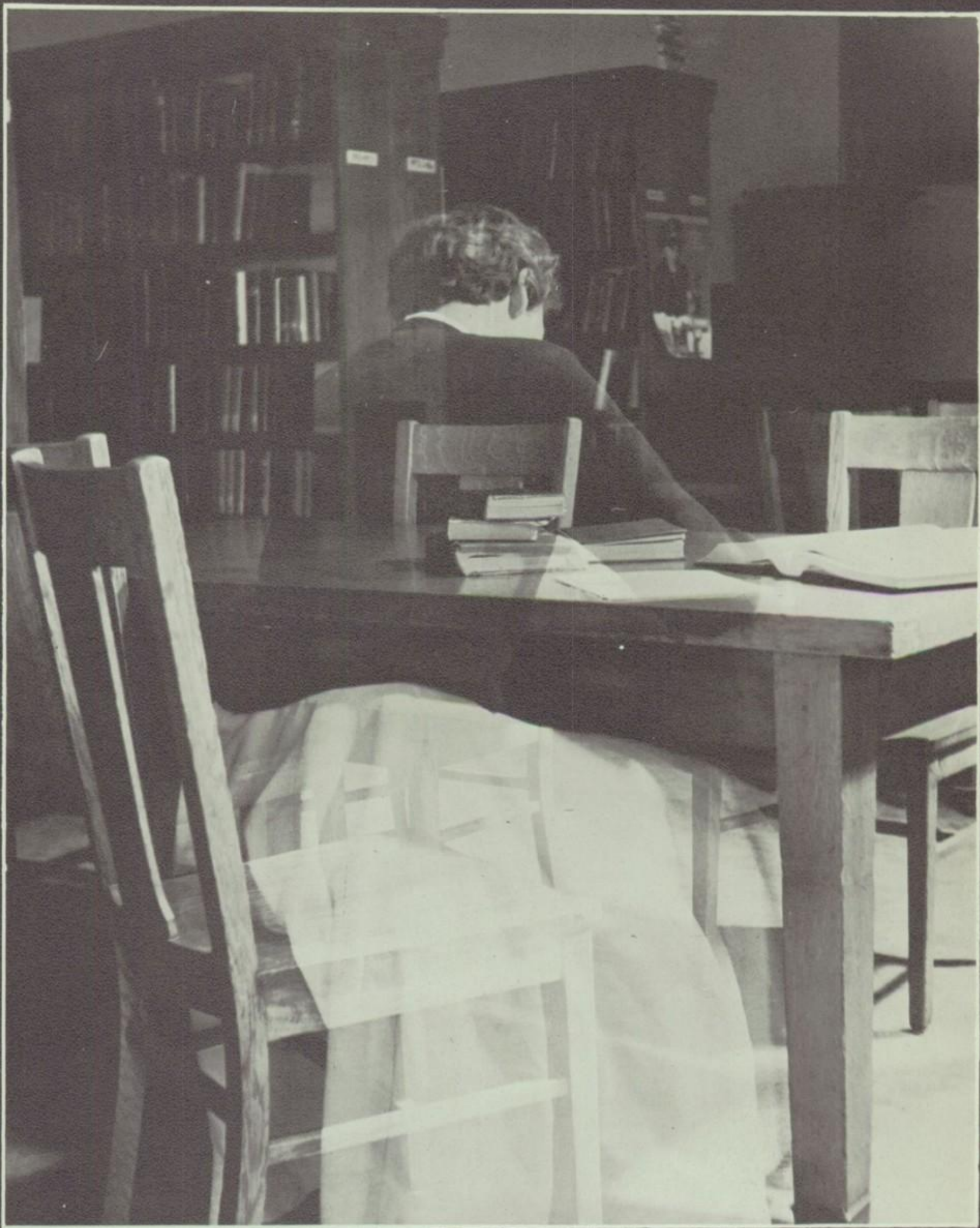
# Senior Autographs



# ACADEMICS

**THIS IS SCHOOL SPIRIT . . .** In Academics, that willingness to do our jobs to the extent of our abilities . . . That realization that our education will provide us with the knowledge, which is the defense of all nations.









Under the direction of Mr. Vincent Hoffman, the boys in Highland Park's fully-equipped auto mechanics classes are learning the basic skills of repairing and servicing automobiles.

This knowledge, with instructions and tips from Mr. Hoffman, aid the boys in obtaining good paying jobs after they graduate.

## Vocational



In the Highland Park welding course, students learn by working on various projects and doing repair work.

During the Christmas season, they make and sell from 25 to 100 wrought iron tree holders.

This is the only high school welding class in the state doing work in wrought iron.





In biology classes student learned about the origin, structure and function of plants and animals. One of the classes went up to Michigan State College Veterinarian School on a field trip this year. Still another class went up to Jack Miner's bird sanctuary. The lab project for all classes was raising fruit flies.



## Sciences

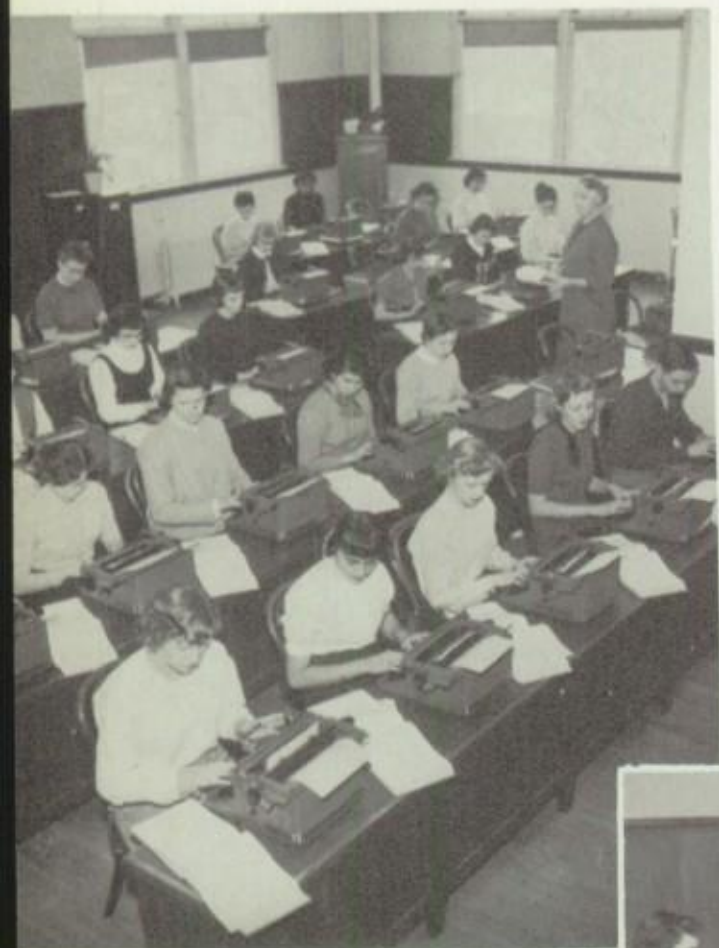


Students planning to attend college should take up at least one of these sciences. This year the physics classes went to the Chrysler Motors Research and Engineering plant on one of their field trips. They also had the aid of audio-visual materials to help explain difficult problems. Biology also took two field trips this year. Chemistry students tried their techniques in the laboratory.

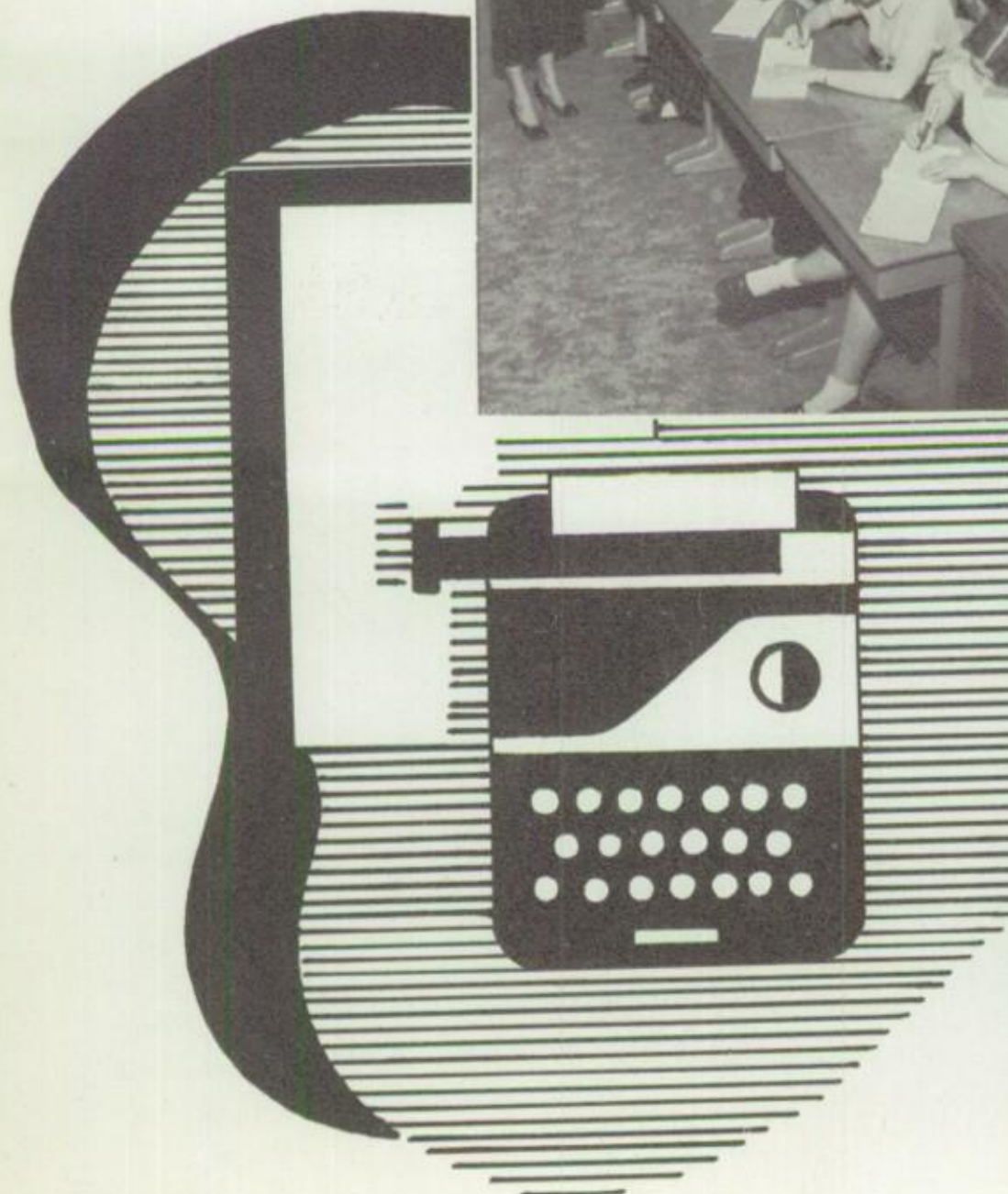


Students in Highland Park High School were offered courses in shorthand, typing and business machines. To be recommended for shorthand, a student had to have typing, and at least a "C" in College English.

One class which offered a course in calculating and duplicating machines gave students a chance to practice duplicating work for teachers on the mimeograph machine. This offered advantages for the teachers as well as opportunities for students.



## Commercial





Courses in homemaking create interest toward better living today and tomorrow through individual and group experiences in foods and meal service, clothing construction and clothing care, management of money, personality development, interior decorating, house care, home care of the sick and personal and family recreation.



# Home Economics







The Highland Park Nursery School had its beginning in 1924. After twenty-five years, the building was replaced with the modern structure facing Highland Avenue.

Nursery School is open to children from three to five years of age. Application is made in advance; in many cases, as soon as the child is born.

Nursery School does not only aid the younger children but it helps high school and junior college students as well. Students study child development in their daily social living classes in the ninth grade, sociology classes in the twelfth grade and psychology of family relations in Junior College.

## Nursery School





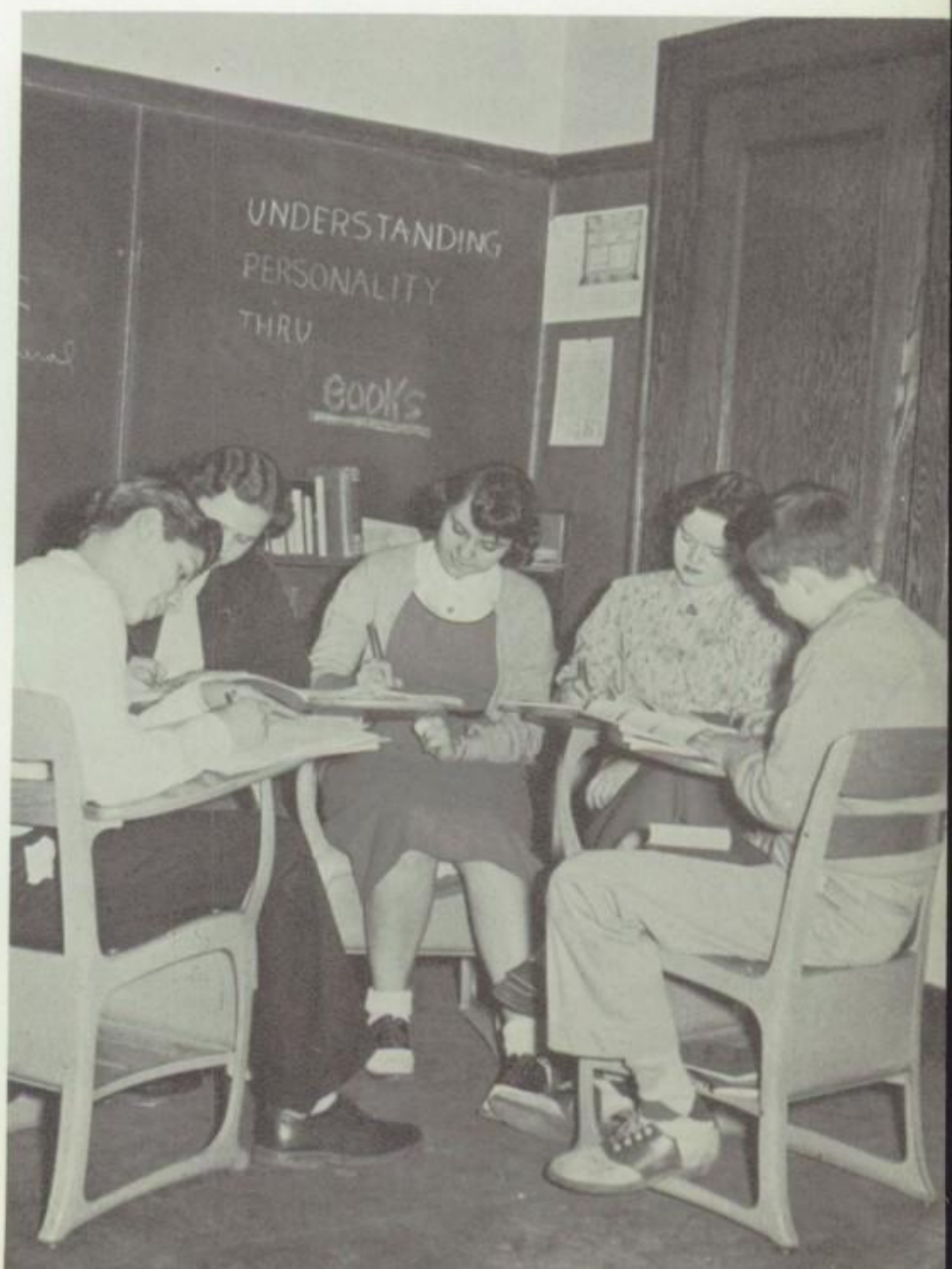
Through their high school career every student must enroll in a family living class. Students discuss family life, clothes, dating and many other problems they might come upon.

The 12th grade sociology classes discuss these same emotional problems only in a more thorough manner.

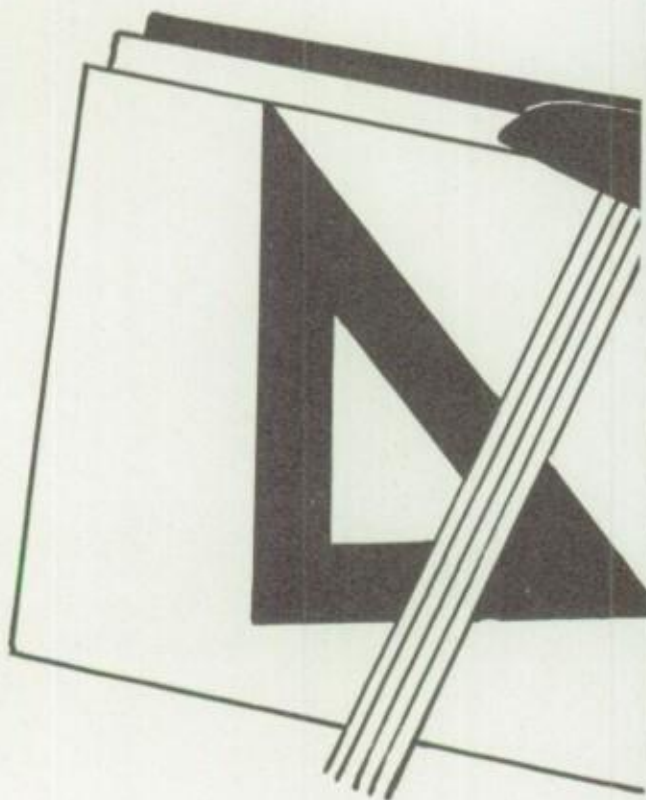
Another feature of these classes is to attend the nursery school five times. During this period these students find out how the children act and why they act the way they do.



## Home and Family







A unique phase of the art department is the commercial art section. This section involves lettering, design, commercial printing and other various kinds of advertisement. Art students spend many hours throughout the year making various decorations and posters for dances, the Carnival, the plays and other school affairs.

Movies are shown so that the art students can more fully understand the technical fundamentals of art. Students need not be artistically inclined, but they should have an appreciation for art.





Students taking ceramics and jewelry had the opportunity to display their creative ability in these arts.

The ceramics class was taught by Mr. Alfred Burke. In the class the students worked with pottery, dishes and figurines.

Mrs. Florence Rahles was the instructor of the jewelry class. The students design and make cuff links, bracelets, rings, necklaces, earrings, plaques, and enamel dishes.





# Radio Speech

Highland Park High School's dream finally came true last April 24, when the radio station went on the air. The radio station, established for the Parkers, enables students to gain a practical knowledge of both production and broadcasting skills. The station's policies were approved by the Board of Education.

W.P.H.R. is on the air Monday through Friday from 10:45 a.m. till 3 p.m. It also broadcasts all football and basketball games and home swimming meets.



Students taking radio speech have an opportunity to learn the basic fundamentals of the radio. This class enables them to gain a practical knowledge of both production and broadcasting skills. Such as: producing sound effects, learning commercials and learning the techniques of the "mike."



THAT ONE IS YOURS!



## Drivers Training



Each year approximately 216 students benefit from the exceptional Driver Training course at Highland Park. These future motorists, after seventeen hours of behind-wheel training, receive a certificate, one-half credit towards graduation and have a practical knowledge of how to drive. Two cars equipped with dual-control are donated by local car dealers each year.

## Piano Class

Gathered around the keyboards are Parkers with a keen interest in music. Classes are offered for the beginner and advanced student.



## Stage

Two girls from Mr. Mack Palmer's stage class are assisting in the success of a production by providing the proper lighting.

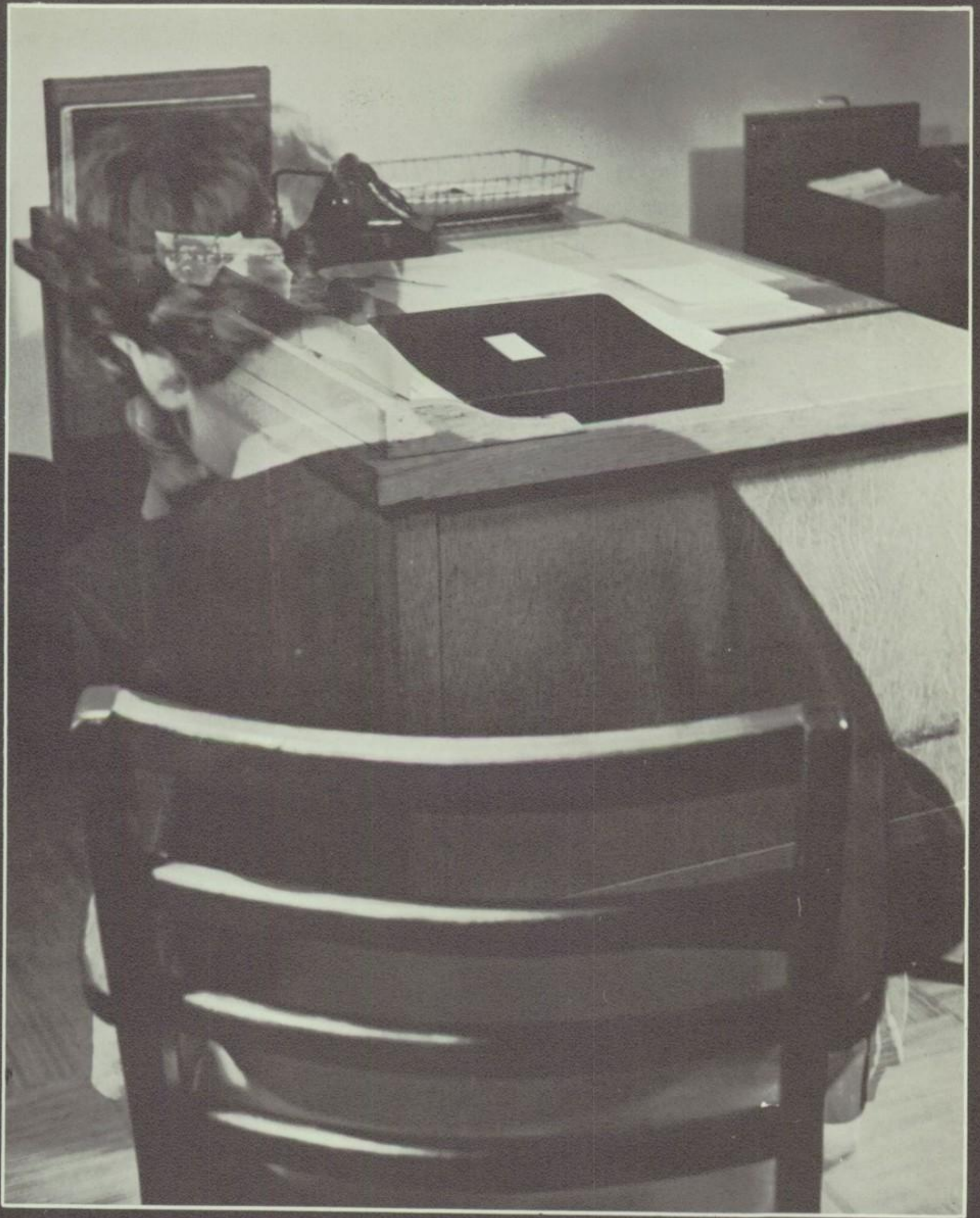




# FACULTY

**THIS IS SCHOOL SPIRIT** . . . Faculty, the enlightenment of the school . . . That unifying force which combines all Parkers into one body, united in action and in spirit.









Shown above from left to right are: Max Smith, superintendent; Vern Handley, administrative assistant; Ross Smith, principal; and Luke Shannon, administrative assistant.



Mr. George Green, January Class



Mr. Charles Moles, June Class



MRS. JEAN BAKER  
*Head, Girls' Phys. Educ.*  
 MISS GRACE BAIRD  
*Adapted Materials*  
 HARRIET BERNBAUM  
*English*

MRS. VIRGINIA BERRYMAN  
*Girls' Physical Education*  
 JOHN BLANOCK

*Instrumental Music*

JACK BOXER

*Social Studies*

MRS. MARILYN BOYAN

*Commercial*

NORMAN BOZE

*Welding*

JAMES BUCKBOROUGH

*Head, Instrumental Music*

HAROLD BURCH

*Chemistry*

ALFRED BURKE

*Ceramics, Yearbook*

MISS GLADYS CAHOON

*Librarian*

MISS MARY CAMPBELL

*English, Latin*

MRS. HELEN CAMPLAN

*Special Education*

MISS MARJORIE CARD

*Social Studies*

MRS. ANN CONWAY

*Bookroom*

DAVID CONWAY

*Machine Shop*

DACHO DACHOFF

*Orchestra*

MISS MARY DANIELS

*English*

RUSSELL DAVIDSON

*Social Studies*

LEONARD DEMAK

*Social Studies*

DWIGHT DYER

*Head, Boys' Phys. Educ.*

WILLIAM ERICKSON

*Science*

EDWARD EXWORTHY

*Biology*

MRS. MILDRED FOSTER

*Sight-Saving*

J. J. FRANZ

*Science*

MRS. MARY K. FRASER

*Dramatics, English*

MISS THEO FREEMAN

*Girls' Physical Education*







MRS. ELEANOR GERMAN

*English*

MRS. CASSIE GIBSON

*Counselor, Mathematics*

MISS DONALDA GRANT

*English*

GEORGE GREEN

*Counselor, Social Studies*

EINAR HANSEN

*Industrial Education*

MRS. THERESA HARLAND

*English*

MISS PAULINE HARRIS

*Counselor, Language*

MISS HELEN HASTINGS

*Commercial*

BASIL F. HAUSE

*Vocational, Commercial*

MISS EUNICE HERALD

*Homemaking*

MRS. MARION HICKS

*Accompanist*

MISS MYRRL HIGHT

*History, Government*

MRS. OLETA HILLER

*Homemaking*

VINCENT HOFMAN

*Auto Mechanics*

GEORGE HOYT

*Science, Math*

ALAN HUTCHINS

*Boys' Physical Education*

HARVEY C. JACKSON

*Counselor*

MRS. VICTORIA JOHNSON

*English*

PHILIP KELLOGG

*Art*

MRS. MARIAN KINTZ

*Vocal Music*

MRS. HELEN KOLTONSKI

*Nurse*

JOHN KULJU

*Biology*

JOHN LADD

*Head, Mathematics*

RONALD LARZELERE

*Driver Training*

MISS MARJORY LAWRASON

*Dental Hygienist*

NEIL LOTTRIDGE

*Vocational Director*

LYLE MacKELLAR

*Industrial Art*

MISS KATHRYN MacLENNAN

*Head, Homemaking*



MRS. DOROTHY COLVIN

*Nurse*

MRS. HELEN MARTIN

*Mathematics*

EDWARD McMULLIN

*Boys' Physical Education*

JOSEPH E. MILLER

*Journalism, Publications*

CHARLES MOLES

*Counselor, Economics*

RAY J. MUNDRO

*Boys' Physical Education*

MRS. RUTH MURPHY

*Mathematics*

MISS FLORENCE PENDELL

*Mathematics*

WILLIAM PHOENIX

*Social Studies*

MISS MARJORIE PIEPER

*Girls' Physical Education*

MISS KATIE PLACKO

*Commercial*

D. L. PYLE

*Director, Curriculum Research*

MRS. FLORENCE RAHLES

*Jewelry*

MRS. NELL ROSSOW

*Orthopedics*

MRS. ROSINA ROY

*Language*

MISS NORMA SAMMET

*Head, Commercial*

MISS MERYL SEAVER

*Latin*

DAN SESTAK

*Boys' Physical Education*

MRS. PATRICIA SEXTON

*English*

CARL SIGNOR

*Mathematics*

HAROLD SIMON

*Language*

LELAND SMITH

*Social Studies*

MERLE SMITH

*Speech, English*

LEVERE SNYDER

*Vocational Education*

MISS ANN SOLOMON

*Counselor, Social Studies*

MISS GLADYS STERLING

*Commercial*

ROBERT STEVENS

*Radio Speech*

KEITH STURDEVANT

*Head, Vocal Music*







DAN STRANGO  
*School Detective*

MRS. CLARA STRONG  
*Nursery School*

MRS. HAZEL SUTHERLAND  
*Mathematics*

LAURENCE W. THOMAS  
*English*

LAWRENCE VALADE  
*Mathematics*

WILLIAM VALADE  
*Language*

MRS. MILDRED VALENTINE  
*Librarian*

MRS. EDITH WALKER  
*Accompanist*

MISS GRACE WALLACE  
*Head, English and Language*

MRS. HARRIET WHITNEY  
*Nursery School*

RAYMOND WILLIAMS  
*Commercial*

THOMAS D. WILLIAMS  
*Counselor, English*

MRS. EVA WILLIS  
*Placement Counselor*

JAMES WINK  
*Boys' Physical Education*

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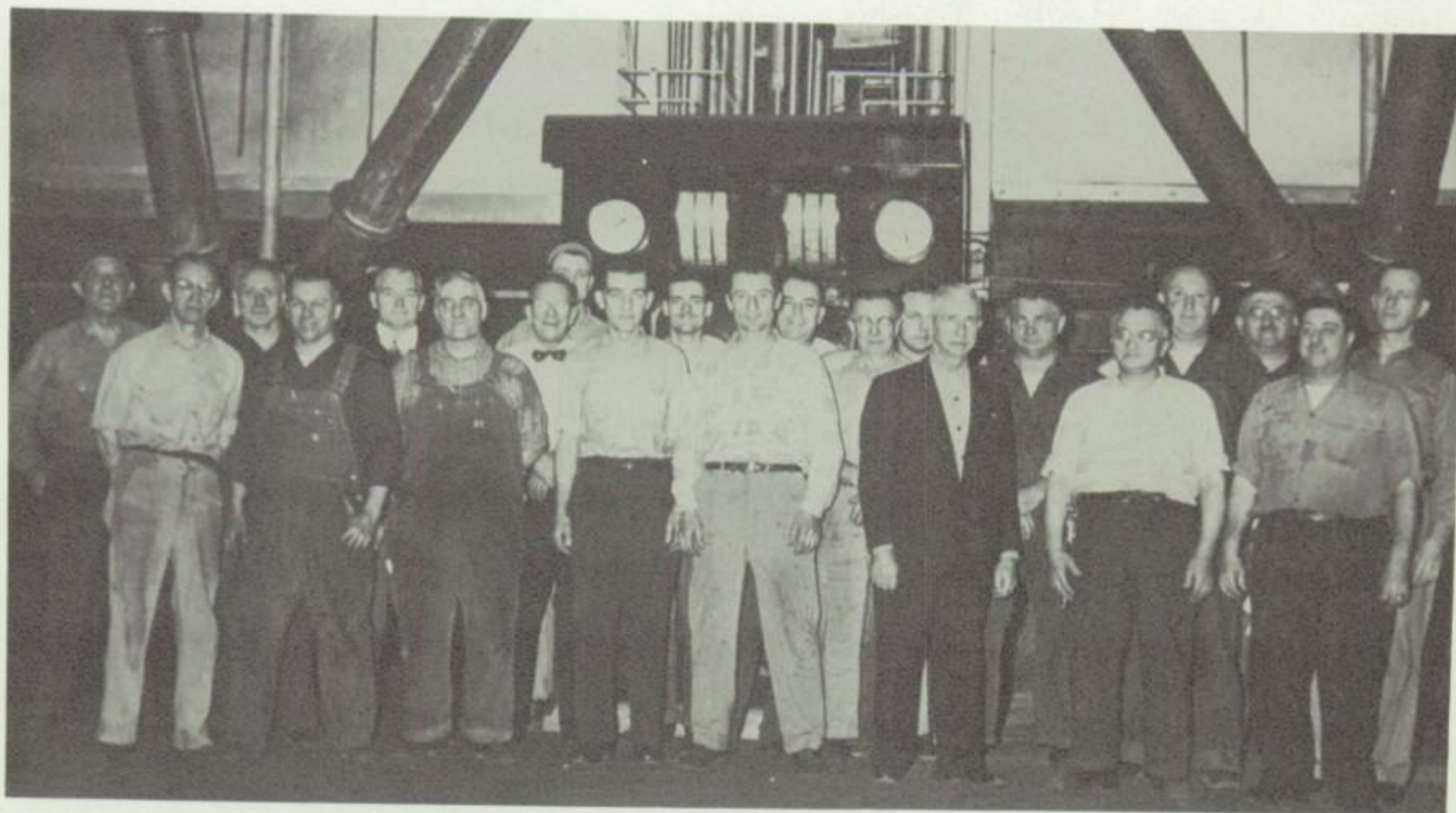
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## Maintenance Crew

Shown above from left to right are: (front row) George Sinclair, Joe Resick, William Houston, Charles Collons, Sam Colone, Ed Hanes, Hjolmar Uusitalo, and Louis Sousa; (back row) Sam Treveno, Ed Foley, John Dunn, Jim Perry, Merle Baker, Joe Bruno, Michael Moore, Joe Moyle, Mr. Light, Dave Coutts, Mr. Johnson, Dan Grady, George Boyle.



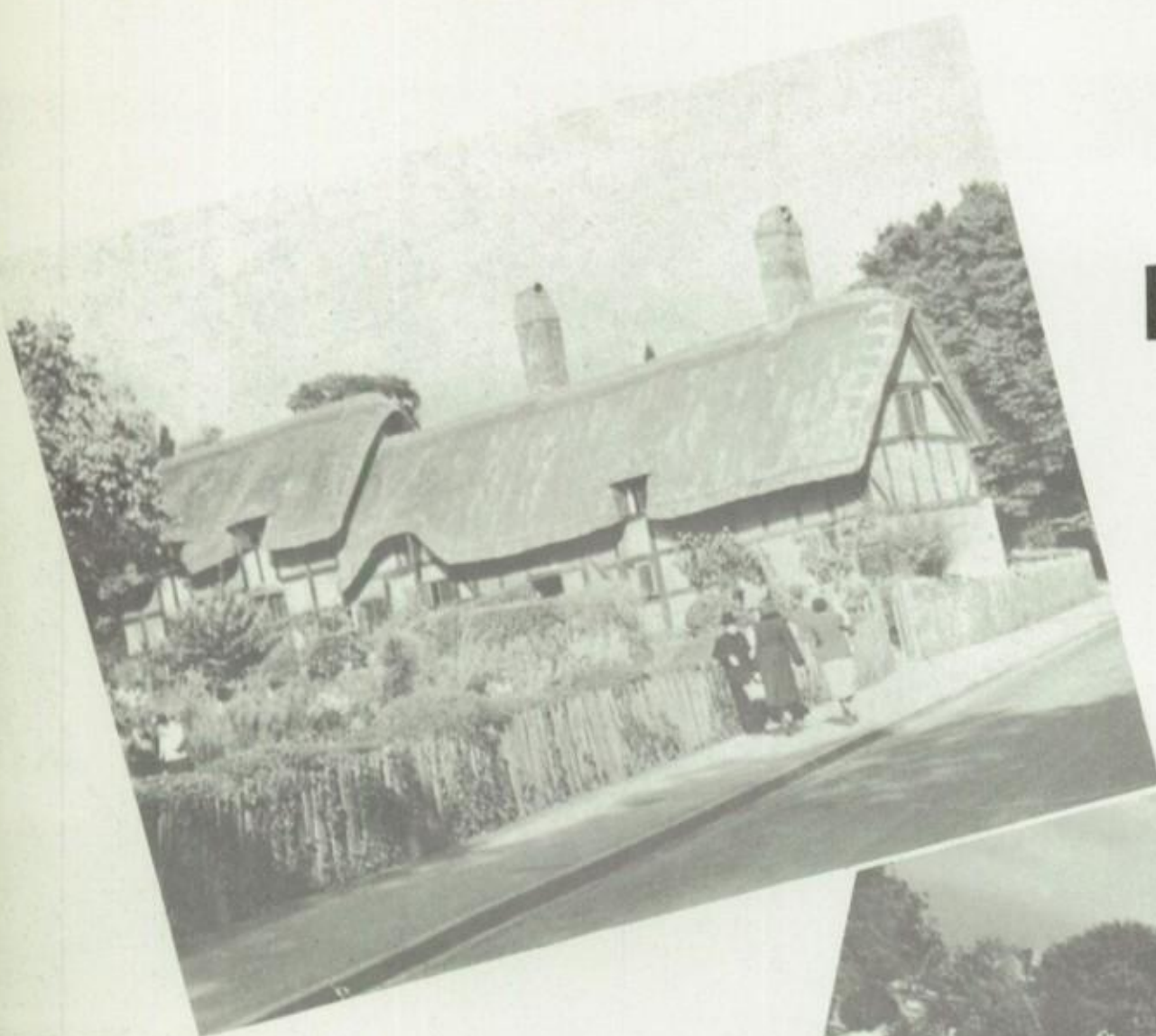
# ACTIVITIES

**THIS IS SCHOOL SPIRIT** . . . in Activities, we attend our dances . . . we see our plays and we hear our concerts. Through our school activities we function individually filled with enthusiasm and with due regard for the interests of the whole . . . We develop a feeling of unity among us in our work and our play . . . a feeling that satisfies our spirit.

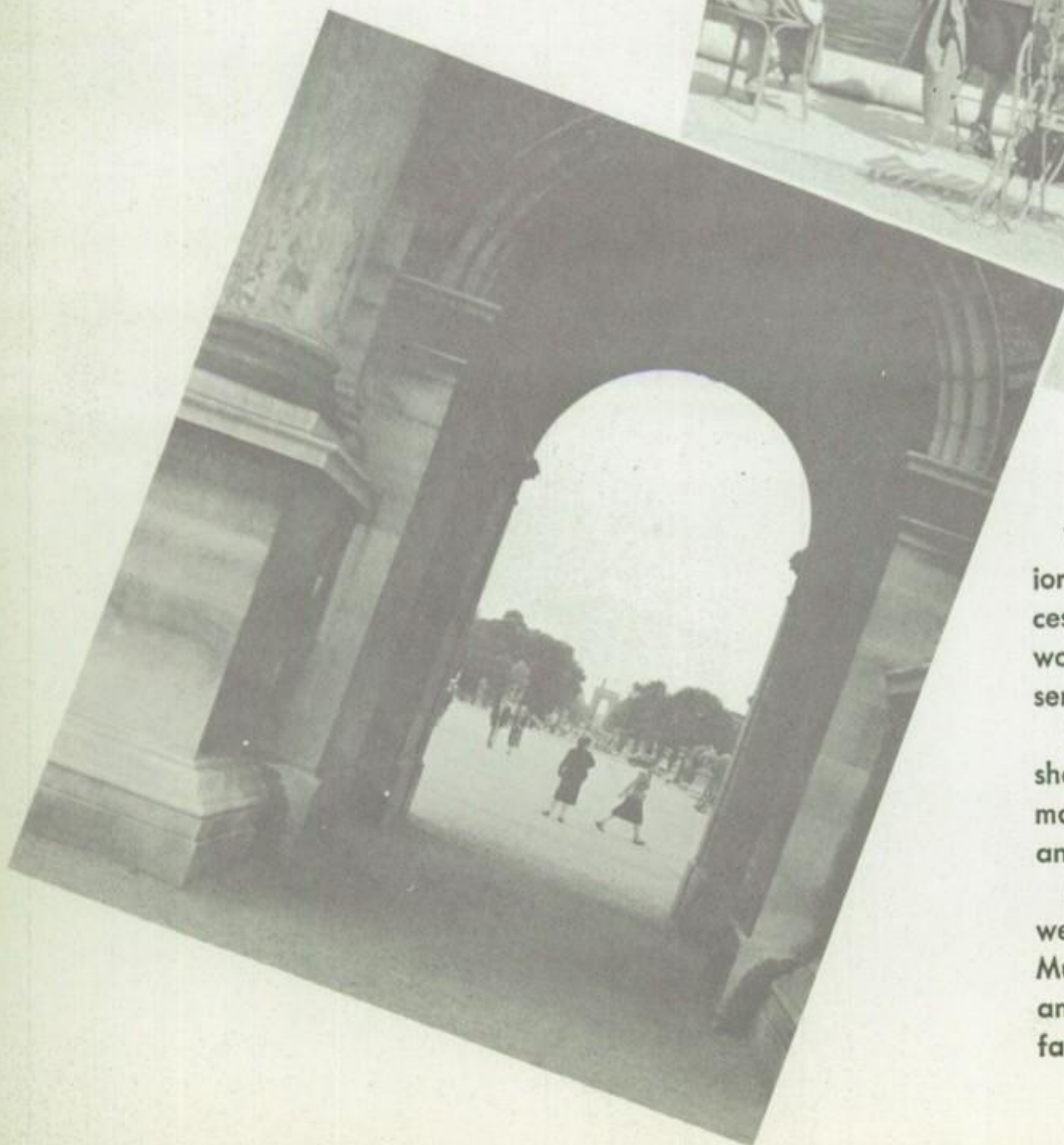








## Lets Take A Holiday



With a "holiday" theme the senior class chalked up another successful carnival! Many hours of hard work were put into the annual senior affair.

Perhaps the two most popular shows and the two biggest money-makers were the auditorium show and the aquacade.

Fulfilling the roles of co-chairmen were Dolores Boyajian and Jim Munson, while Mr. George Green and Miss Pauline Harris were the faculty advisers.









## Band

Under the direction of Mr. John Blanock, the high school band was quite busy this year playing at almost all Highland Park football games in the fall and providing much of the entertainment for the crowds during the basketball games.

In addition to these athletic events, the band participated in many other school programs such as the Spring Festival, the Senior Carnival, assemblies and concerts. Besides playing in many school programs, the band also appeared





out of school in a Halloween parade, the Goodfellow's parade, and a Detroit Lions' game. The band turned out an excellent performance in the Spring Concert.

During the summer and fall seasons members of the band had chances to attend music camps. Some of them received music scholarships to the various camps. The officers were: president, Bob Baker; vice-president, John Sumner; secretary, Van Chandler; treasurer, Glen Herriman; librarians, Pat Jacques and Dianna Severts; property, John Fraser and Forrest Marvin, and sergeants-at-arms, Thurman Taylor and Dick Yarmy.







## Orchestra

For students with an interest in instrumental music, the high school orchestra provides great opportunities.

Under the direction of Mr. Dachoff, the orchestra provided much music during the school year for many different programs. Such programs included Youth Concerts in the elementary schools and participation in school assemblies, including the Christmas Pageant and Spring Concert. The annual formal orchestra concert this year highlighted this group's activities. The concert was rated highly by both students and faculty.







"Rumanian Folk Dances" for string orchestra, "La Vie Parisienne" and "Voices of Spring" were a few of the numbers on the concert program.

The orchestra also went to Ypsilanti on February 25 for the Band and Orchestra Festival at which groups from Southeastern Michigan played. The required Class 'A' orchestra number was "Intermezzo" from "L'Arlesienne Suite No. 2" by G. Bizet. Others played by the 40-member orchestra were "The Golden Sceptre" and "Suite of 17th Century Dances."

The officers for the 1954-55 season were Frank Donar, president; Carop Usher, vice-president; Ruth Lampman, secretary; and Fredrika Stubbs, treasurer.





# Christmas Pageant



Featured in the annual Christmas Pageant were the Concert Choir, Male Chorus, Treble Clef, Orchestra and ten choral readers.

The Pageant, one of Highland Park High's cherished traditions, was divided into two parts. The opening part consisted of musical numbers by the Concert Choir and Male Chorus under the direction of Mr. Keith Sturdevant, the Treble Clef under the direction of Mrs. Marion Kintz and the orchestra under the leadership of Mr. Dacho Dachoff.

Theme of the second portion of the Pageant was the dramatic story of the Nativity. Narrating the Biblical story were ten choral readers under the supervision of Mrs. Mary Kay Fraser.

Handling the artistic touches of the tableaux were Mrs. Cyril Miles, Mrs. Florence Rahles and their staff. The technical crew was under the direction of Mr. Mack Palmer.

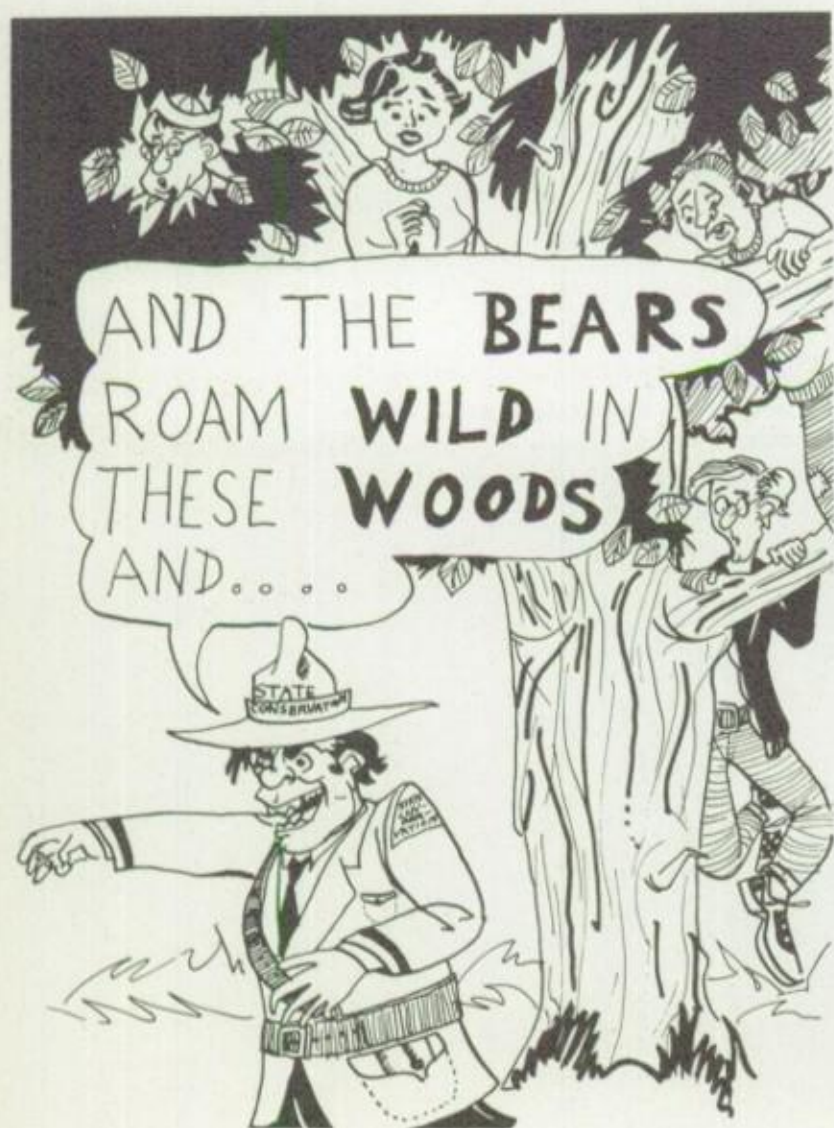








## 9A Camp





### 9A CAMP

Many experiences were had by all 9A's this past year when they took the annual week of camping that is offered to them by the school. The camp, which is located in the Cedar Lake Recreation Area, provided them with plenty of room to move around and get acquainted with nature.

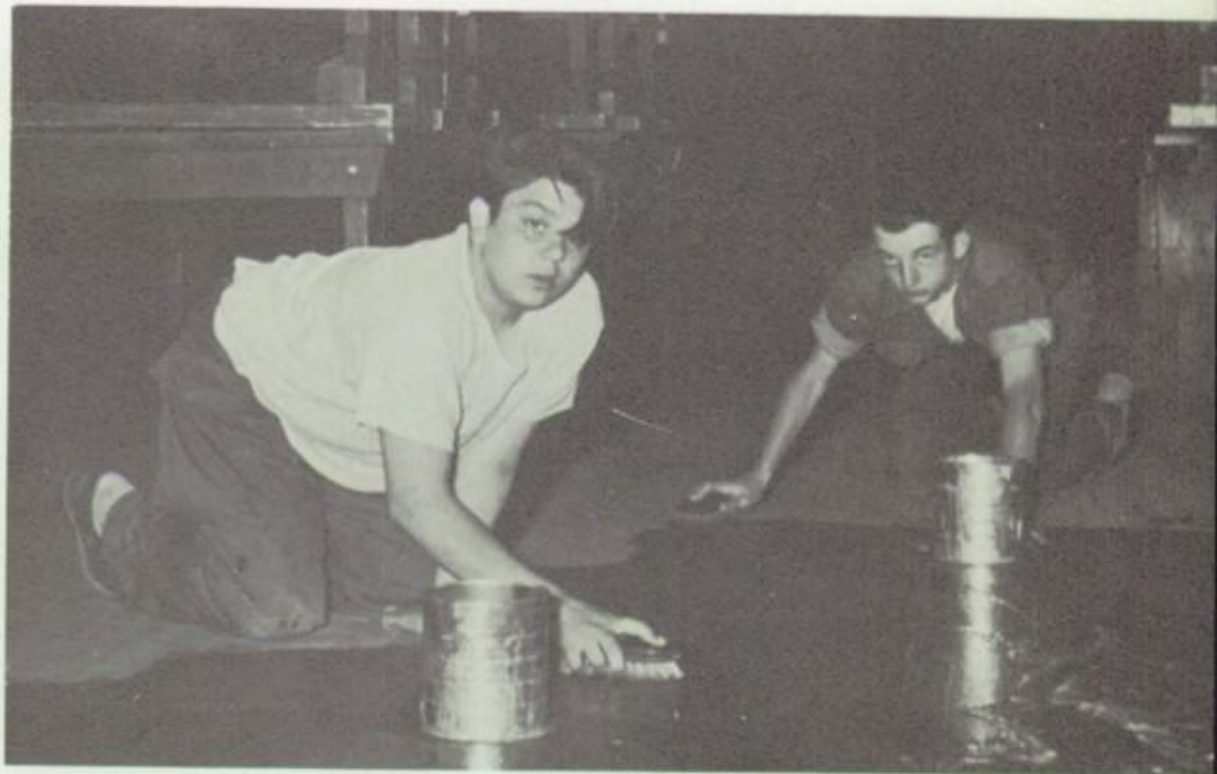
The campers were divided into groups and took two hikes every day into different parts of the area. The Conservation part of the program was handled by Conservation officers who are well trained and skillful in their field.

Of course everyone had their turn in the kitchen learning how to do "K.P." Many students cut the cost of the trip by earning money through different homeroom projects. Some of these included bake sales, dances, selling pencils, and many other money-making activities.

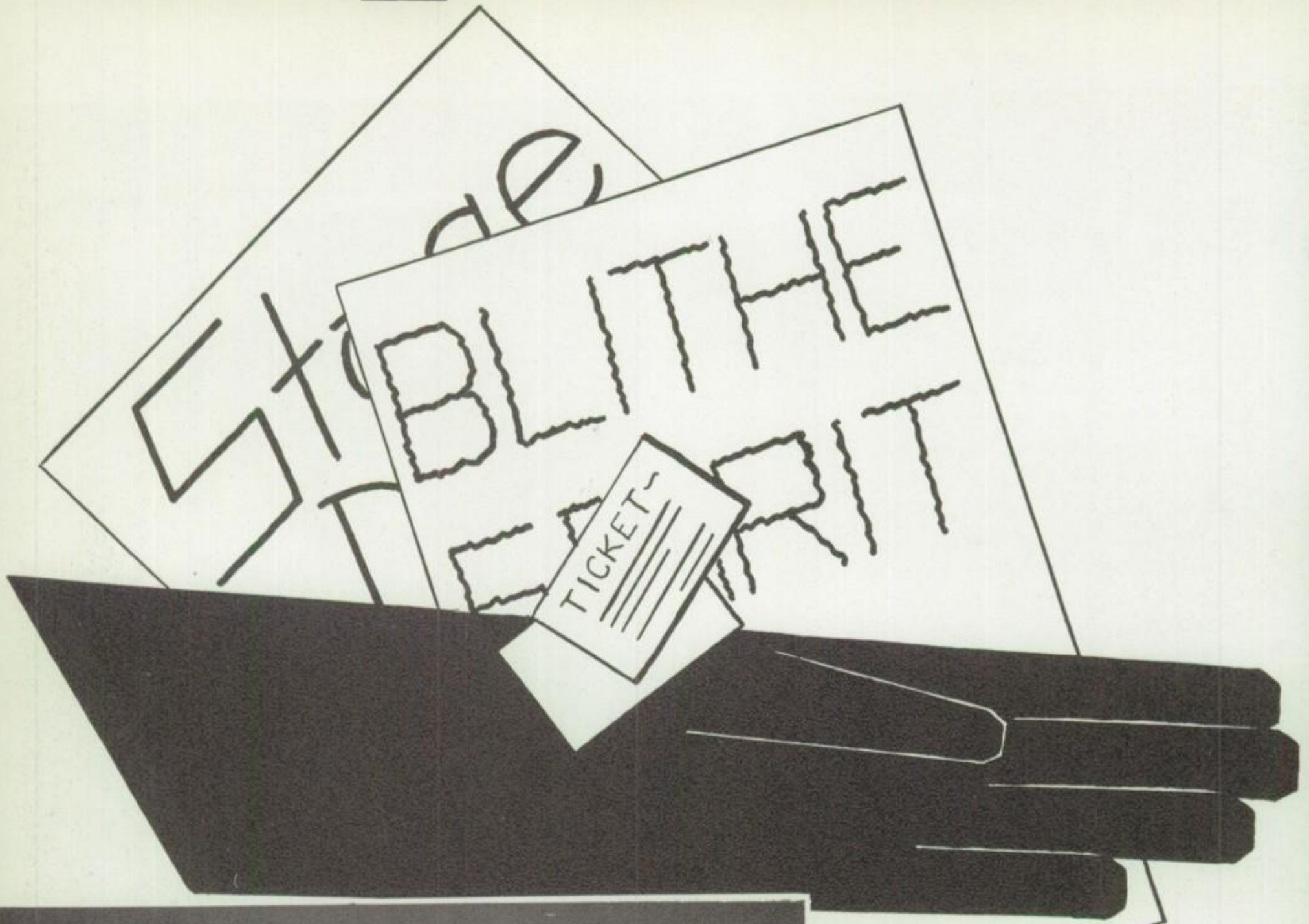
The students' rise and shine time was 7 a.m. each day. Then they went up to the dining room to salute the flag and have breakfast, after which they started their day's program. Every day a different group took care of the entertainment for that evening. The entertainment for the different nights consisted of a hayride, a treasure hunt, a variety show, dancing, and a scavenger hunt.

After a long day of fun, the tired campers had their refreshments and turned in.

The camp is under the able direction of Mrs. Jean Baker, girls physical education department head.







Under the direction of Mrs. Mary Frazer, drama coach, "Stage Door" and "Blithe Spirit" were presented this year. Both were successes.

LOWER LEFT — Mr. Condomine and his first wife, Elvira, renew the past.

#### OPPOSITE PAGE:

UPPER LEFT — Mrs. Orcutt peeping in on a serious moment between David Kingsley and Terry Randall.

UPPER RIGHT — Curtain call of the fall play "Stage Door".

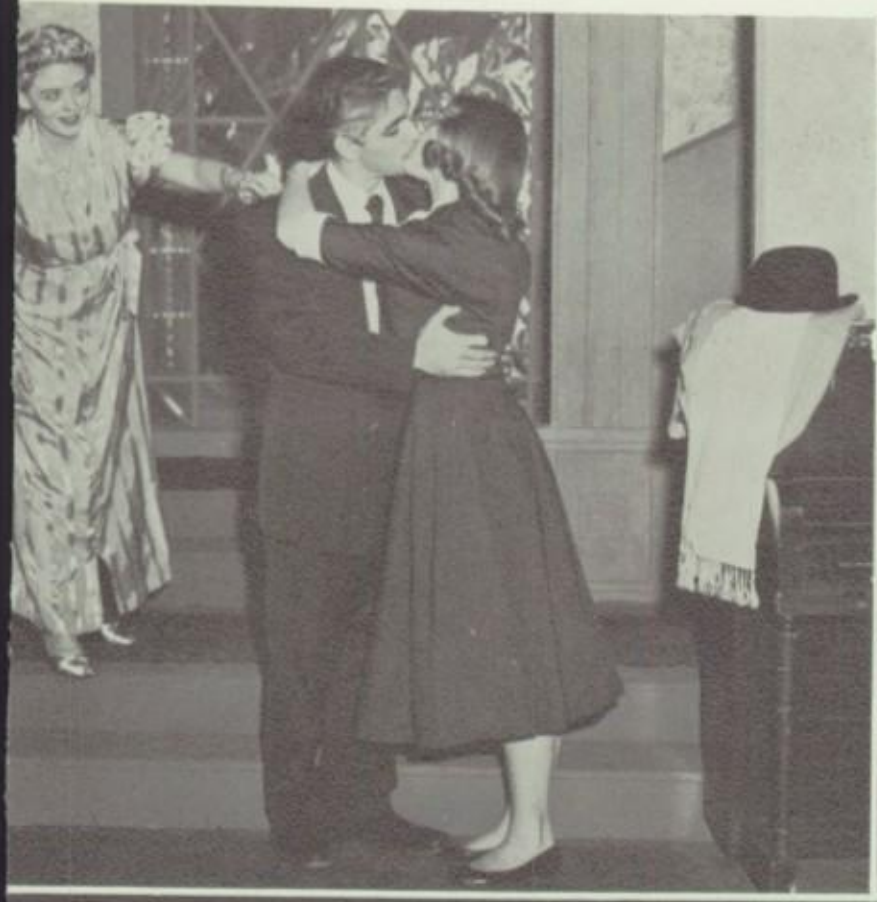
MIDDLE LEFT — Madam Arcati explains to them the procedure of bringing back the dead.

MIDDLE RIGHT — Mattie and Frank having a small disagreement.

LOWER LEFT — Two couples are getting ready to leave the club for a night on the town.

LOWER RIGHT — Curtain call of the spring play, "Blithe Spirit".









Highland Park is quite proud of its vocal music department, which is under the new direction of Mr. Keith Sturdevant.

The English Singers, led by Mr. Sturdevant and accompanied by Mrs. Helen Wortly, performed at our holiday assemblies, school productions, plays, the Pageant and other programs.

The Concert Choir was composed of eleventh and twelfth graders and they performed at many of the school assemblies throughout the year.

The Ensemble and the Treble Clef, both all girl groups were selected on their vocal ranges and abilities by Mrs. Marion Kintz and her accompanist, Mrs. Marion Hicks. They participated in activities throughout the year, but the spring concert was when the girls excelled highly.

## Concert Choir





# Ensemble



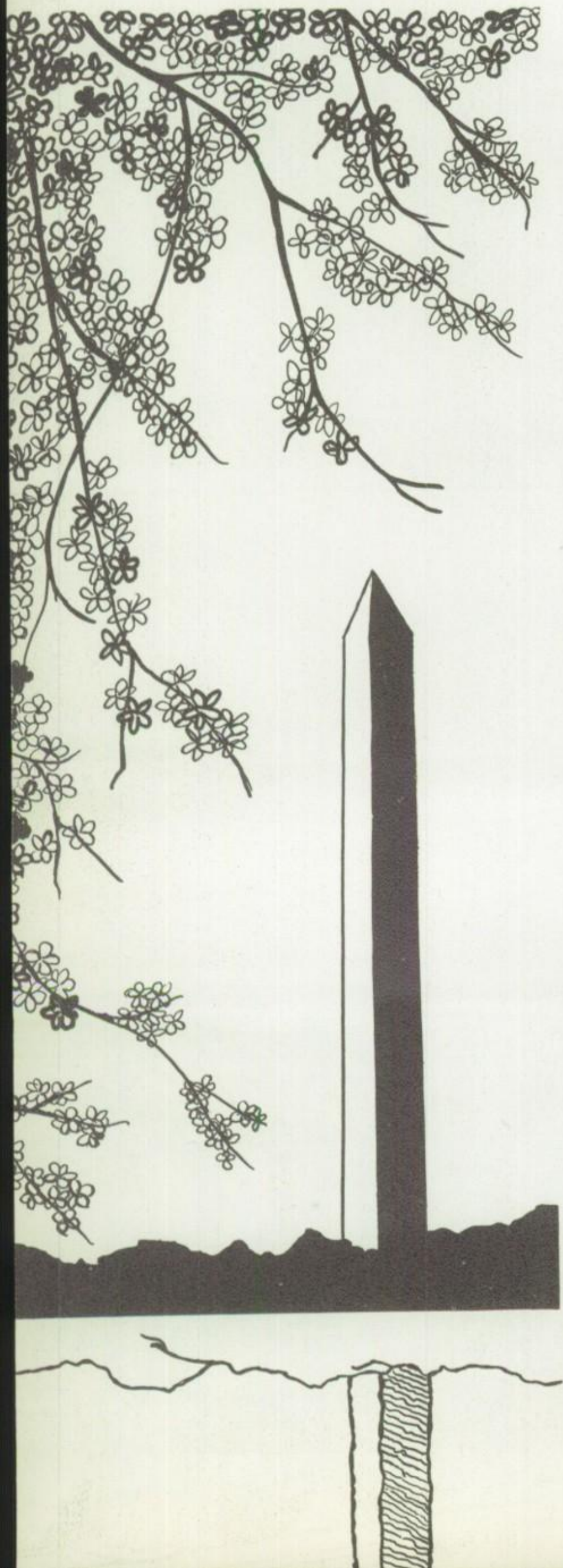
# Treble Clef



# Troubadours









# WASHINGTON TRIP

Again this year the seniors of Highland Park laid aside their textbooks and school clothes, put on their best "bib and tucker" and embarked on the thirty-ninth annual Washington trip.

The trippers sold magazines, gift wrappings, and Christmas cards, and put on a January Carnival to help finance the trip. Working side by side with their fellow classmates they became acquainted with many more of them.

The trip was the result of hard work by both the faculty and the students themselves.

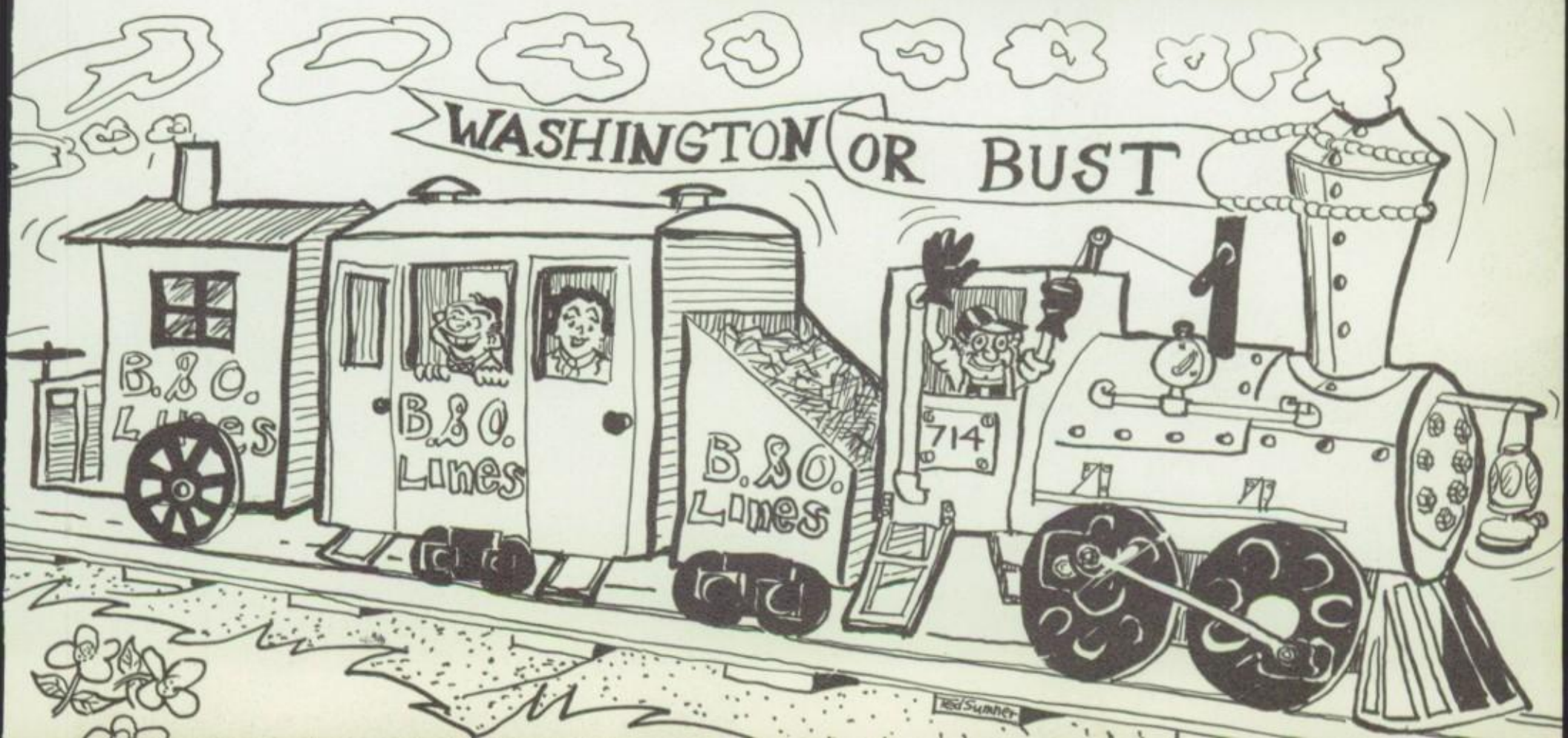
No wonder it is a trip long remembered after graduation.

UPPER LEFT—A girl eagerly gets ready to get down to the train.

LOWER LEFT — They look back and say good-bye to their friends and parents.

UPPER RIGHT—A group of trippers are entering the train.

MIDDLE RIGHT — A group prepares for the long journey ahead.







Shown from left to right are: Sue Kohl, Carol Carter, Jennifer Pickering, Fred Korn and Dolores Boyajian prepare an issue of the Spectator.

"The Spectator" copped several awards for excellence this year.

The paper was selected as "best high school paper in the Detroit area" and "best letterpress paper" at the Wayne University Conference in December.

Also, Jennifer Pickering and Jeanne Coosaia won feature writing awards at the same conference.

The staff worked, except for two veterans, under a new editorial staff and new adviser, Mr. Joseph Miller.

The overall appearance of the paper changed. It developed an eight-column format. New features and new make-up styles also were incorporated.

## The Spectator

Shown from left to right are: (first row) Rikki Stubbs, Jeanne Coosaia, Dolores Boyajian, Jennifer Pickering, Carol Carter, Susie Kohl and Fred Korn; (second row) Mr. Joseph Miller, Nancy Matlock, Ernest Ragan, Pat Anderson, Ralph Cooper, Carol Lapham, Dave Carrick, John Richards, Jerry McLellan and Sue Clinton; (third row) Freda Mullins, Phyllis Pulkki, Helen Hughes, Linda Smith, Karen Olbrich, Alice Newton, Margaret Drummond, Kay Cook, Dick Vane and Caesar Moilanen.







Shown from left to right are: (first row) Carol Yap, Jerry McLellan, Caesar Moilanen and Pat Fox; (second row) Pete Lyons, Roger Dunn, Benny Wilson, Dick Vane and Eileen Kassarian.

#### STUDENT SENATE IN ACTION



## Student Senate

Representatives changed the name of the student governing body from Council to Senate this year.

The Senate functioned under six major committees: Welfare, Elections, Activities, Publicity, Organization and a new addition, Honor Society.

Accomplishments of the government group included supervision and sponsoring of class elections, conducting welfare drives and presenting topnotch pep rallies.

Gerald McLellan was president of the Senate this year. Other officers were Caesar Moilanen, vice-president Pat Fox, treasurer Carol Yapp, secretary; and the adviser was Miss Mary Campbell.





Editor-in-chief—Sharon Linton



Copy Editor—Helen Haitaian



Co-Art Editor—Adana Grant



Co-Art Editor—Rosalie Throgmorton

# Yearbook Staff

At the end of the school year everyone awaits with keen anticipation the school yearbook, the Polar Bear. This year besides the literary and art work, the staffers managed to shape into form an "All Star Variety Show" to open their first sales campaign of the year. However, it was not all play and no work. Besides this show there was the scheduling of pictures, making up layouts and the selling of subscriptions and ads.

UPPER RIGHT—Art Staff, seated left to right, Pat Jacques, Rosalie Throgmorton, Adana Grant, Marilyn Kamischke and Dorothy Carne. Standing left to right, Lee Smith, Mr. Burke and Gerald Gaughn.

LOWER RIGHT—Copy Staff, seated left to right, Sally Smith, Sheila Kennedy, Sharon Linton, Helen Haitaian and Pam Merrill. Standing left to right, Mr. Miller, Jan Weimer, Carol Kupalian, Sharon Arcaris, Dean Blewett, Elaine Rasch and Dale Robinson.

LOWER LEFT—A final check is being put on the layout for the 1955 "Polar Bear".

Polar Bear Staff members work on page layouts for the annual. . . Shown from left to right are: Sharon Linton, Editor-in-Chief; Sandra Hulme, Pat Jacques, Rosalie Throgmorton, Pauline Paul, and Dorothy Carne.











## H.P.T.S.

Shown above from left to right are: (first row) Alfred Cathey, sergeant of arms; Bob Norsworthy, treasurer; Chris Christoff; (second row) Ronnie Vestevich, Gordon Justusson, secretary; Bill Beattie; (third row) Jim Boyle, vice-president; George Vestevich, president; Mr. James Stark.

The Typographical Society is one of the most important organizations here at Highland Park High School, although it is not too well-known. The group is made up entirely of boys who print every hall pass, tardy, absence and consultation permit, report cards and programs for all Highland Park High's activities.

The boys took field trips throughout the year to different printing establishments.

A yearly banquet was held last December in honor of the boys in the printing department and the Typographical Society.

The officers were George Vestevich, president; Jim Boyle, vice-president; Gordon Justusson, secretary, and Bob Norsworthy, treasurer.

Mr. James Stark is the sponsor.

Seated from left to right are: (first row) Ruth Lampman, Betty Thompson, Lydia Kall, Pat Pier, Nida Cooksey, Mary White; (second row) Pat Iles, Phyllis Mick, Pat Zaden, Grace Frazek, Shirley Shipstead, Shirley Hines, Carol Thompson; (third row) Sharon Olds, Margaret Drummond, Elizabeth Kelly, Phyllis Pulkki, Marjorie Armstrong, Carol Duncan, Mary Osgood, Lenda Burkeen.

Having the distinction of becoming the first Tri-Hi-Y club in Metropolitan Detroit, the Highland Park Tri-Hi-Y held its induction ceremony in early February.

This service club was composed of twenty-five girls. Members took part in the Hi-Y state legislature and conferences at Manistee and Camp Ohiyesa.

The officers of the club were Ruth Lampman, president; Pat Pier, vice-president; Betty Thompson, secretary; Sharon Olds, treasurer, and Nida Cooksey, chaplain. Mrs George Stevenson was the club's adviser.



## Tri Hi Y





## Movie Operators

Shown above from left to right are: (first row) Bill Neary, recording secretary; Arthur McCreight, treasurer; Pinkney Durham, president; Joseph Akel, secretary; Theodore Foronda, vice-president; (second row) Danny Beauregard, sergeant at arms; Karl Spaeth, Otto Jensen, Kenneth McRop, George Ray, Bill Mattis, Carl Birkenhauer.

Organized as a pool of reliable projectionists who would be able to operate movie equipment in the school and earning the right to run movie equipment with an official license distributed by the Bell and Howell Co. are the aims of the Movie Operators club.

The officers were Pinkney Durham, president; Bill Neary, vice-president; Danny Beauregard, secretary; and Carl Burkenhart, treasurer. The adviser was Mr. George Hoyt.

Shown from left to right are: (first row) Donald Beman, Allan Calfin, Charles Hess; (second row) Bob Blough, Phil Pixley; (third row) Bill Bright, Roger Heiple, Gary Demark.

"To create, maintain and extend throughout the home, school and community high standards of Christian character," this is the purpose of the Hi-Y club.

The Highland Park Prima Hi-Y club took part in the Hi-Y state legislature, sending Bill Bright as senator from the district. Members also have taken part in a New Year's Dance sponsored by the Hi-Y council, a conference at Camp Ohiyesa, and outings at Camp Dearborn.

The officers of the club were: Dave Parks, president; Joseph Alvey, vice-president; Bill Bright, secretary; Phil Pixley, treasurer, and Jerry Abee, chaplain. Mr. John Kulju was the adviser.



## Hi-Y



To become a member of the Lettermen's Club, a student has to earn a letter in one of the varsity sports offered at Highland Park High.

The main goal of this organization is to promote better sportsmanship in the school.

One of the most successful and fun-filled dances of the year was again sponsored by the Lettermen's Club in co-operation with the G. A. L. "The Fowl Ball" featured a chicken contest and a turkey chase.



## Lettermen

Shown above from left to right are: (first row) George Rakolta, sergeant-at-arms; Munson, president; Van Chandler, vice-president; Jim Stephens, Dick Blanding, Fred Gunders (second row) Tom Lewis, Pat McKeown, Dick Yarmy, Joe Lynch, Charles Saulter, Allen Barr, Dick Courtness; (third row) Phil Baia, George Lee, Bill Scott, Dave Johnson, John Butler, Philip H.

Shown above, from left to right, are: (first row) Zdravko Dobrasevic, Betty Waller, Eva Arbella, Lila Barakat, Vice-president; Suzi Williams, secretary; Mildred Tomoff, treasurer; Marquerity Guermerlian, Carolyn Laidlow; (second row) Rosemary Beylerian, Mary Maizy, Habit Qashat, George Asker, Omar Khaliss, Alfred Bernardi, Mike Agemy, Shirley Gorman, Nitsa Sparis (Mrs. Murphy); (third row) Jack Nishanian, Takis Pappas, John Proen, Nicholas Marcus, Victor Hannarvi, Varton Qsgoyian, Jack Kakousian, Simear Sitto, Hikmat Salmu, Marva McKay.

The International Club was one of the most active in the school. Its purpose was to help foreign born students get acquainted in America and help promote good will among all peoples by better understanding and helping others.

The Barakat family reigned over the club. Joe Barakat was president first semester. His sister, Leila, presided second semester. Takis Pappas was vice-president, Carolyn Laidlow, secretary and Nitsa Sparis, treasurer. Mrs. Murphy was adviser.



## International Club



The Girls' Athletic League was organized in 1949 and has been going strong ever since. It is a club composed of girls who have participated in a sport of some kind.

G.A.L. members hold dances and athletic activities which keep them quite busy. The money earned from these activities went to different charities.

Officers of the G.A.L. this year were Adana Grant, president; Nancy Nealon, vice-president; Beverly Register, secretary, and Anne Burdette, treasurer. Mrs. Virginia Berryman was adviser.



## G. A. L.

Shown above from left to right are: (first row) Glenda Casey, Ann Liu, Myrna Melone, Nancy Nealon, Adana Grant, Beverly Register, Ann Burdett, Sue Menlod, Carol Russell; (second row) Deana Severts, Jackie Young, Pat Forehand, Paula Shaffer, Carrielyn Stewart, Carol Usher, Kay Cook, Margaret Becker, Gayle Geurin, Jill Arnold, Marge Pearsall, Mary Mcloskey; (third row) Sharon Morgan, Marilyn Niva, Billie Dunscombe, Dessine Campaine, Eleanor Randles, Sylvia Qualls, Sharon Ferree, Marilyn Neesley, Carol Lampman, Ruby Hill, Willie Sykes; (fourth row) Delight Blockett, Mattie Blount, Llana Brown, Claudette Davis, Evelyn Gordy, Ida Hall, Harriett Yancey, Vivian Duncan, Shirley Ragland, Barbara Calhoun, Mary Johns, Joanne Sugamosto; (fifth row) Sharon Wymm, Linda Townsend, Pauline Paul, Darlene Lank, Pat Courtney, Sandra MacKenzie, Susan Luoma, Carol Watt, Diane Schultz, Pauline Brown, Carolyn Berta, Charlene Markland, Jeanne Coosaia; (sixth row) Arlene Mulligan, Bettejane Burgis, Martha Desante, Joyce Westerdale, Georgiana Toler, Pat Fox, Virginia Lacquement, Bonnie Johnson, Pat Anderson, Jean Lee, Mrs. Virginia Berryman.

At weekly meetings the Intercultural Club had discussions, speakers, and movies pertaining to human relations. They sponsored a class of Navajo Indian children in Shiprock, New Mexico. The club also presented an assembly program during Brotherhood Week. The Highland Park High School was represented in the Detroit Junior Round Table of Catholics, Jews, and Christians by some members of the club.

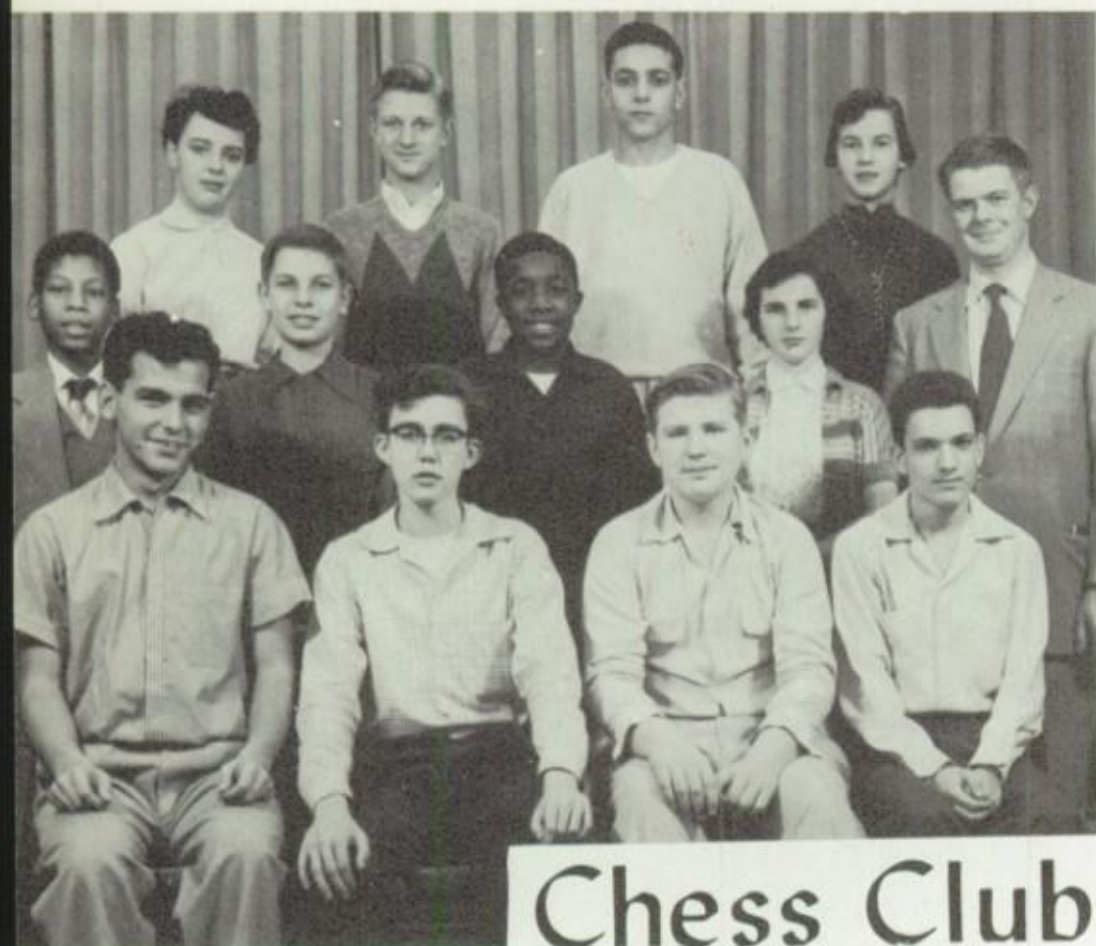
Their officers were Betty Jean Robinson, president; Charles Zaidan, vice-president; Nancy Bright, recording secretary; Flora Smith, corresponding secretary; and Sue Ann Peagram, treasurer. The faculty sponsors were Miss Harriet Bernbaum and Mr. Harvey Jackson.

Shown below from left to right are: (first row) Betty Robinson, Shirley Snipstad, treasurer; Flora Smith, corresponding secretary; Bette Moore, president; Joy Dennis, vice-president; Grace Frazer, recording secretary; Lavenia Robinson; (second row) Harvey Jackson, Sue Ann Peagram, Carolyn Matthews, Jane Murdock, Eleanor McIntosh, Alfred Bernardi, Lenda Burkeen, Bettie Ball, Mary Congleton, Harriet Bernbaum; (third row) James Jefferson, Theola Williams, Delano Esselman, Betty Bjorn, Elizabeth Trent, Ron Harden, Iris Dunn, Titus McClary, Zinzell Stevenson, Beverly Brooks, Nancy Climer.



## Intercultural





## Chess Club

Shown below from left to right are: (first row) Ted Foronda, Eugene Winkler, John Winters, Jerome Zarembski; (second row) James Cole, Lorne Cyar, John Adolphus, Leona Wiest, J. Linville; (third row) Marilyn Cooney, Douglas Breck, Allie Restum, Norma Mayes.

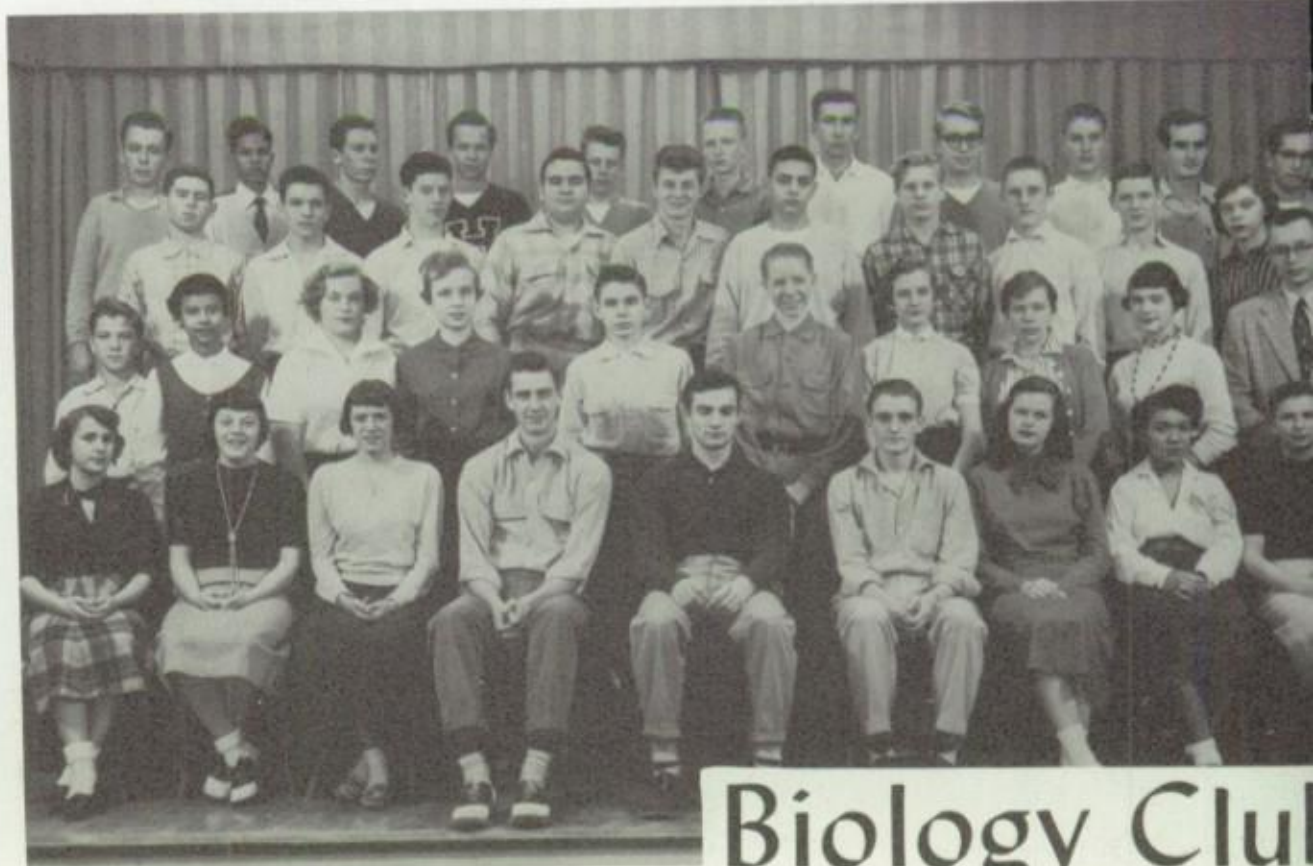
Main purpose of the Chess club was to play chess and to teach new members how to play. The club was started a year ago this last January and soon they hope to go into competition with other schools.

The officers were Ted Foronda, president and Eugene Winkler, secretary-treasurer. Mr. James Linville was the club's adviser.

The Biology Club under the supervision of Mr. Kulju had a well-balanced program for the year. They planned field trips, movies, slides, and laboratory experiments. The fall field trip at the School of Veterinary Medicine, Michigan State College was a highlight of the year. The club also had guest speakers at their meetings.

The Biology Club elects new officers each semester. The officers for the first semester were Gordon Cleary, president; Sue Williams, secretary and Dale Bouldrie, treasurer. The officers for the second semester were Gerald Earles, president; Margaret Wonacott, vice-president; Sue Williams, secretary and Jan Weimer, treasurer.

Shown below from left to right are: (first row) Myrna Melone, Ruth Lampman, Margaret Wonacott, Harry Etienne, Gordon Cleere, Dale Boudrie, Carmen Cochran, Martha Krawczyk; (second row) Alvin McCracker, Carole Robinson, Marilyn Roth, Bell McPherson, William Hicks, David Bentley, Peggy Benser, Pat Pier, Pam Davies, Mr. Kulju; (third row) Fred Korn, Jerome Zarembski, Paul VanDerHoven, Eric Mezger, Robert Stonehouse, Allie Restum, James Harper, Lee Alvey, Jerry Earles, Jean Broberg; (fourth row) Jan Weimer, Charles Brown, Hal Raines, Dave Johnson, Bob Boal, Ronald Peterson, Bon Wonacott, Loy Barker, Michael Preston, Gary Black.



## Biology Club





## C.A.P.

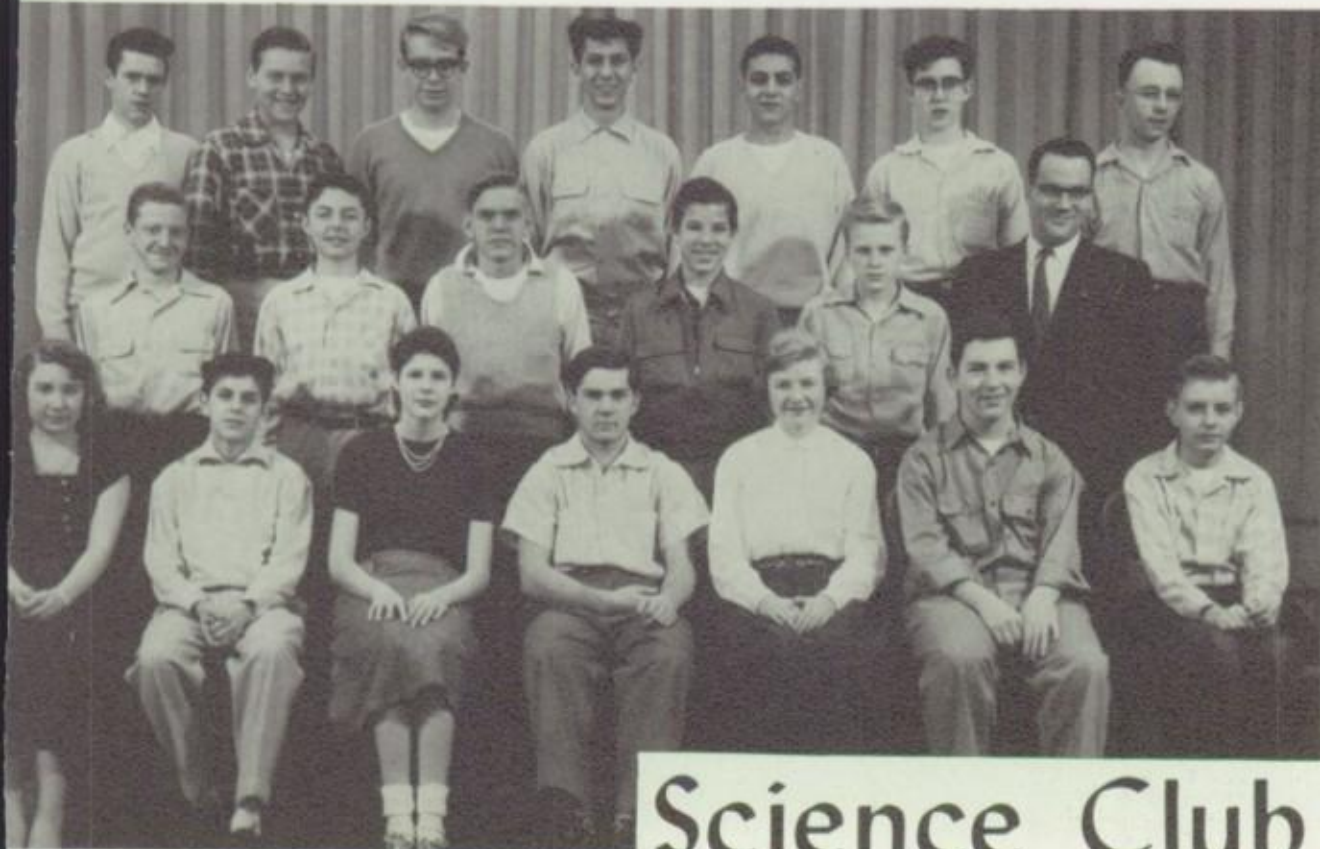
Shown above is the Civil Air Patrol giving attention to the flag at one of their Wednesday night practices.

Every Tuesday from 7 until 9 p.m., the Highland Park Civil Air Patrol could be seen practicing for the many drill contests in which they successfully participated. The group, in its drill competitions, went all the way to state finals, where it tied with Romulus' C.A.P. for first place honors.

Besides drilling, the thirty members learn many pointers in the field of aviation.

For outdoor activity in the summer, many of the C.A.P. members will trek to the Selfridge Air Force Base for two weeks of advanced aviation.

Shown below from left to right are: (first row) Sara Amos, George Grozd, Alberta Shirley, Raymond Blake, Marie Michal, Paul Mischakoff, Eddie McCox; (second row) David Carrick, Robert McConnell, Dave Warren, John Aranyas, Paul Johnson, Mr. Ericson; (third row) John Dunn, Tom Wrighton, Loy Barker, Raymond Chisa, Al Restum, Eugene Winkler, Bob Hart.



## Science Club

Here is a club for all science enthusiasts! Highlights of this year's activities were films, lab experiments, demonstrations and a trip to the Junior College chemistry lab. The Science Club also had speakers from the Junior College Chemistry and Science Department who gave information about the offerings of the J. C. Science Department. Its aim was to obtain a closer tie up between the high school and Junior College.

The club elected Ray Blake, president; Marie Michal, vice-president; and Alberta Shirley, secretary. Mr. William Erickson was the club's adviser.

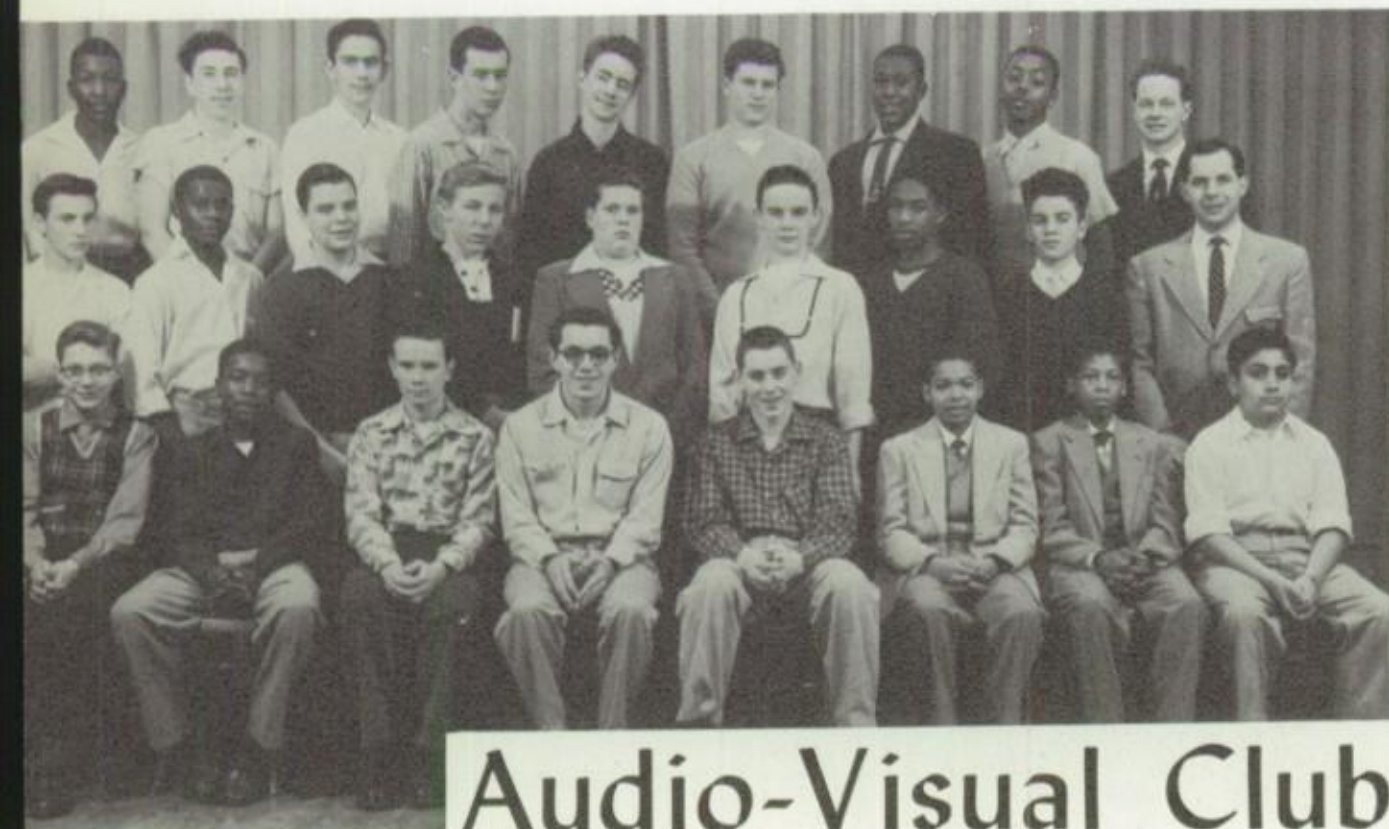




## Future Nurses Club

Shown above from left to right are: (first row) Roseke Marshall, Melva Shipp, Iris Dunn, secretary; Pauline Paul, president; Yvonne Whitekus, vice-president; Velma Lipsey, Ann Dixon; (second row) Martha Carter, Florence Eldred, Patricia Ryan, Barbara Peckinpugh, Betty McClure, Mrs. Koltmishi; (third row) Irene Eranford, Pat Sullivan, Mary White, Eileen Morgan, Barbara Harris, Barbara Jones, Gail Conway.

Shown below from left to right are: (first row) Richard Luke, John Adolphus, John Dabio, Richard Slagle, president; Marvin Ditsch, secretary; LaVaughn Wilkins, James Cole, Joe Rizk; (second row) Roger King, Harry Hairston, Bob Wilson, Gary Bourque, Donald Clendenan, Bill Calhoun, LeMario Blakely, Leo Miller, Mr. L. S. Demak; (third row) Willie Thornton, Richard Austin, Bobby Cowan, Billy Etienne, Ron Cannon, Michael Moore, Ernest Greene, John Mattox, Harold Longdyke.



## Audio-Visual Club

Stimulating an interest in all phases of nursing, the Future Nurses Club helps girls meet entrance requirements to an accredited school of nursing.

Also, the club provides them with accurate, up-to-date information about the nursing profession.

Under the guidance of Mrs. Helen Koltonski, adviser and nurse, the girls took hospital trips, heard guest speakers and saw films on different nursing schools at club meetings.

This organization, though not in the limelight, had many accomplishments to be proud of.

One of the most exciting for these members was the privilege to use the brand new \$1,500 Bell and Howell projector recently acquired by the school. Since the major part of the movie operators time deals with the management of every movie in the school, the members were seen constantly caring for the projectors and film.

The adviser is Mr. Leonard Demak. The officers were Richard Slagle, president, and Marvin Ditsch, secretary.





## Red Cross Club

Shown above from left to right are: (first row) Pat Turner, Paula Appoulas, Roxan Sudimire, Iris Dunn, secretary; Joseph Barakat, vice president; Frace Frazier, president; Lenda Burkeen, parliamentarian; Pinkney Durham, sergeant at arms; Garritt Dare; (second row) Barbara Sadler, Lackie Johnson, Pat Ryan, Penny Joanna Quinn, Betty Ball, Bonnie Bell, Patsy Baiz, Toby Korn, Melva Shipp, Jesse Mae Page; (third row) Delors Turner, Helena Adams, Billy Jean Harris, Sharon Crawford, Ardey Laption, Marie Harding, Jerry Earles, Betty Tuner, Barbara Calhoun, Elenor MacIntosh, Barbara Starks; (fourth row) Sandra Powers, Carol Duckmenner, Carol Robinson, Jack Nishamann, Victor Hannawi, Harold Longieke, Gwendalyn Crusor, Dorteia Howard, Marie Blockett, Joann Suhudski, Betty Bazzell, Jerry Soof.

Shown below from left to right are: (first row) Sharon Linton, vice-president; Adana Grant, president; Ann Liu, secretary; Sheran Arcaris; (second row) Mr. Miller, Fred Korn, Dale Robertson, Arlene Mulligan, Helen Haitain.



## Quill & Scroll

Some of the activities of the Red Cross Club were on the international scale. These include sending gift boxes to needy schools around the world and preparing scrap books describing the life of American children, our schools and our recreational facilities.

The members, however, did not experience all work and no play; they enjoyed cook-outs, square dances, song-fests and many other activities.

Main project of Quill & Scroll Society, journalism honorary, was the formation of a Border Cities League Journalism Conference.

Purpose of the conference was to provide journalists an opportunity to discuss problems of publication of newspapers, yearbooks and literary magazines.

Officers of the Addison & Steele Chapter of HPHS this year were Adana Grant, president; Sharon Linton, vice-president; Ann Liu, secretary, and Carol Vosburgh, treasurer.





## Latin Club

Shown from left to right are: (first row) Belva Malejan, Susie Minnow, Wayne Ries, sergeant at arms; John McLosky, treasurer; Sylvia Boyd, president; Roger Dunn, vice-president; Carlie McLellan, secretary; Katherine Renneker; (second row) Barbara Smith, Ilene Kasarginia, Diane Thompson, Lindo Hoy, Betty Hall, Betty Ball, Sandra Hulme, Miss Seaver; (third row) Delores McCarmick, Rosalie Christie, Barbara Baughner, Sharon Geurin, Sandra Wasson, Eleanor Mack, James LeBlanc, Dale DeHarde, Nancy Salamas, Kathryn Fisher; (fourth row) Elizabeth Kelly, Joanne Gelzer, Janet Foster, Nancy Swift, William Mitchell, Robert Bush, Pat Anderson, Penny Miller, Joanne McKenzie.

Shown below from left to right are: (first row) Kathleen Peterson, Hannah Feinstein, Evelyn Dunn, vice-president; Rhea McGeath, president; Barbara Owen, treasurer; Pat Forehand, secretary; Delores Petack; (second row) Margaret Dayinian, Eleanor Field, Paulint Brown, Sallie Garrett, Eleanor Hansen, Betty Aiken; (third row) Nancy Johnson, Nilsa Northrup, Linda Black, Jan Weimer, Ellen Robison, Georgina Toler.



## Spanish Club

An annual initiation banquet with members dressed in Roman togas and wearing laurel wreaths highlighted the Latin Club's activities. It also participated in a dinner which all language clubs of the school had. Besides these activities, the club sponsored "Latin Week" and enjoyed cultural films of the different Romance-speaking countries.

The officers were Sylvia Boyd, president; Roger Dunn, vice-president; Carlie McLellan, secretary; John McLoskey, treasurer; and Wayne Ries, parliamentarian.

Spanish movies, parties, bake sales, field trips and an unusual initiation highlighted the many activities of the Spanish Club. At Christmas time they gave a basket of food to a needy family. The Spanish Club is composed of members of Spanish classes who qualify for membership.

The officers of this club were Rhea McGrath, president; Evelyn Dunn, vice-president; Pat Forehand, secretary; and Barbara Owen, treasurer. Mr. William Valade was the club's faculty adviser.



This year the German Club boasted ten members who worked hard under the direction of Mr. Harold Simon. A German Christmas party in true German style and a dinner were held at the homes of some of the members.

The club promotes the culture, music and customs of the German people. They try to use an informal manner at each of their meetings and like to catch up on the latest German popular records.



## German Club

Shown above from left to right are: (first row) Jean Taylor, Renate Kwantt, president; Ann Stonehouse, secretary-treasurer; Julianne Horvath; (second row) David McCarthy, Andrea Smith, Nadia Abramovitch, Silvija Rudzitis, Earl Dwyer.

Under the direction of Mrs. Rosina Roy, the French Club enjoyed many group activities. Some of these were sending CARE packages to France, a rummage sale and making baby clothes for the French counselor's new baby. The French Club consisted of members from the different French classes.

The officers were Mary Seropulos, president; Carol Ann Carter, vice-president; Margie Pearsall, corresponding secretary; Faye Smith, recording secretary, and Gary Demark, treasurer.

Shown below from left to right are: (first row) Melva Ray, Jim Crumbaker, Gay Nell Roberts, Marjie Pearsall, corresponding secretary; Carol Carter, vice-president; Mary Seropulos, president; Faye Smith, secretary; Jim Pattison, past president; Rayma Botkins, Nancy Osborne, Marva McKay; (second row) Joyce Malcum, Barbara Benson, Carole Allison, Dorothy Hughes, Marcia Rudder, Paula Shaffer, Paula Nothstein, Billie Dunscombe, Jude Volper, Doris Rhodes, Marie Scaris, Shirley Gorman, Nancy Lindlely, Mrs. Roy; (third row) Dick Vane, Audrey Lapham, Phyllis Vreeland, Linda Rodden, Susie Kohl, Lydia Sarandan, Joanne Ambrose, Larry Casey, Sharon Linton, Millicent Brenner, Lois Carter, Martha Wessinger; (fourth row) Diane Dawson, Janice Story, Jerry Zill, Adrienne Kirk, Carole Lapham, Ann Cannis, Bob Adler, Tom Darin, Ron Valiesano, Robert Hall, Ann Shaw, Wanda Kline, Paul Gunderson.



## French Club





## Debate Team

Shown above from left to right are: (first row) Fred Korn, Tom Herriman, Barbara Perusek, Carol Ruotanen, Judy Wilber, Barbara Benson; (second row) Andrea Smith, Mike Preston, Bob Handley, Dale Robinson, Faye Smith, Adrienne Kirk, Suzie Williams, Mr. Merle Smith, advisor.

The debate team made many advances this year with only one veteran returning to the team.

The varsity team, consisting of Judy Wilbur, Adrienne Kirk, Barbara Perusek and Fred Korn, alternated throughout the season with members of the reserve team to provide new cases and dilemmas for their opposing team.

The 1954-55 topic dealt with a free trade policy throughout the free world.

Mr. Merle Smith is the debate coach.

Shown above are (first row): Carry Nelson, Seleatha Cartwright; (second row) Marie Murtonen, Charleen Lambert, Sharon Wilson, Rhea McGeath, Rosalie Throgmorton; (third row) Helen Sirounian, Rosalie Lawrence, Julie Peterson.



## Modern Dance

One of the newest clubs in the school is the Modern Dance Club. It was organized in November, 1954, by a group of girls in the modern dance class. Under the direction of Miss Marilyn Yarmain, the girls study composition and technique of dancing. The girls worked with Miss Yarmain and the club's student assistants, Julia Peterson and Helen Sieounian, in composing dances. There were twenty-five members.

The girls' spring concert, "Dance Fantasy," was presented on April 1. The club also performed at the P.T.A. Founders Day Banquet. Besides these programs they performed not only for school business but for outside groups as well.



To raise club standards this year, Forensic members emphasized speech making at meetings and attended more conferences. The result was a broader program for the group.

Most popular dance of the year at HPHS, "The Spinster Spin," was sponsored by Forensic members.

Officers of this year's group were John Sumner, president; Dale Robinson, vice-president; Virginia Schuler, secretary, and Bob Handley, treasurer.

Mr. Merle Smith, speech instructor and debate coach, was adviser.



## Forensic Club

Shown above from left to right are: (first row) Dorothy Stanton, Sharleen Lambert, Dale Robinson, vice-president; John Sumner, president; Bob Handley, treasurer; Delores Falcuson, Barbara Benson; (second row) Rikki Stubbs, Jean Taylor, Sandra Smith, Betty Cochrane, Thomas Herriman, Barbara Perusek, Mary Lou King, Rayeanne Tarpinian, Penny Miller, Dick Vane; (third row) Andrea Smith, Gary Blalock, Mike Preston, John Harrell, Glen Duncan, Faye Smith, Adrienne Kirk, Fred Korn, Mr. M. Smith, adviser.

Shown below from left to right are: (first row) Ann Lui, Dale Robinson, Janet Poe, Mrs. Fraser, Helen Haitaian, Lucretia Amodeo, Mary Carter; (second row) Judy Climer, Joyce Vickers, Sheila Kennedy, Bettijane Burgis, Elaine Rasch, Jill Arnold, Marjie Pearsall; (third row) Bob Wiemer, Jerry Coulter, Frank Donar, Fred Pounds, Jim Vickers, John Roan, Otto Jensen, Pat Fox, Arlene Mulligan.



## Thespian Club

Re-establishment of the miniature theater and frequent visits to professional plays were the main projects throughout the year for the Thespian Club. With twenty-seven members, the club, under the leadership of Mrs. Mary Fraser, worked on two productions during the year. The club admitted no new members until they had earned the required ten points to be a Thespian.

The officers were Janet Poe, president; Dale Robinson, vice-president; Helen Haitaian, secretary, and Margie Koivu, treasurer.



# SPORTS

**THIS IS SCHOOL SPIRIT** . . . in Sports, that sense of oneness among all students striving to do their share in producing victory . . . We have learned that to win isn't always the highest goal; it's our common aim to attain high sportsmanship.

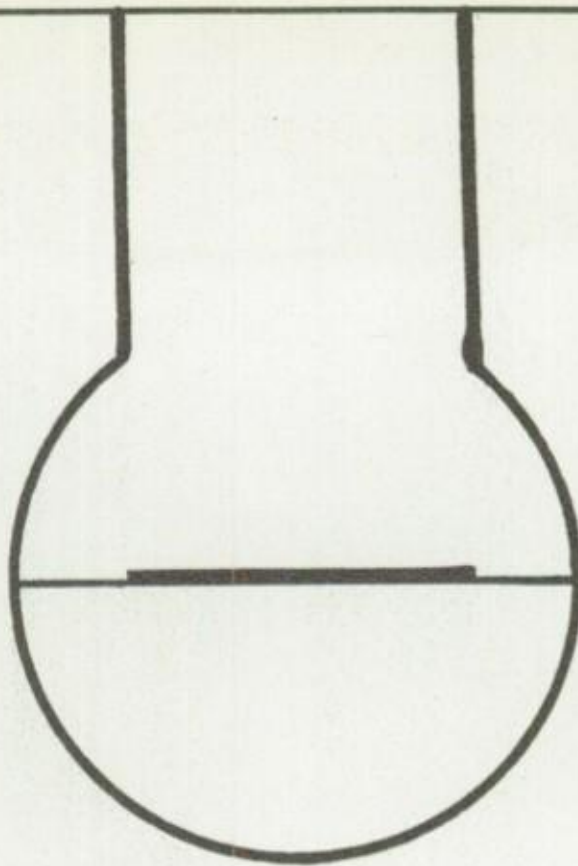








Don Schwitter



Gerald Fields

# First Five



Ronald Zill

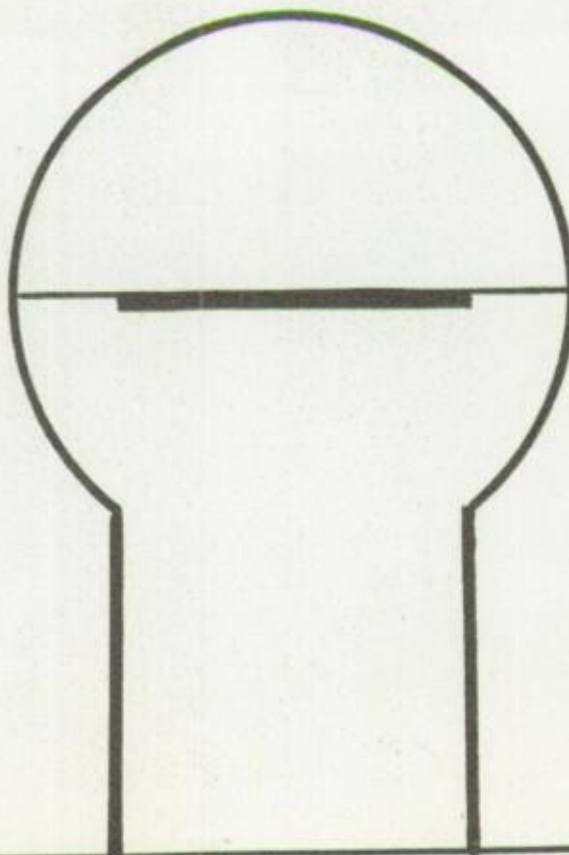
Returning to the state basketball semi-finals tournaments in East Lansing for the fifth straight year, led by Coach Jim Wink, the fabulous Polar Bears gained a feat no other school in Michigan can match.

The Parkers, for the fifth season in a row, won the Border Cities League Championship, the Ferndale Regionals Championship and the Quarter-Finals, but bowed to Jackson in the Semi-Finals.

Although the Parkers went down in defeat in the Semi-Finals, they finished with a record of 16 wins and 3 losses.



James Mills

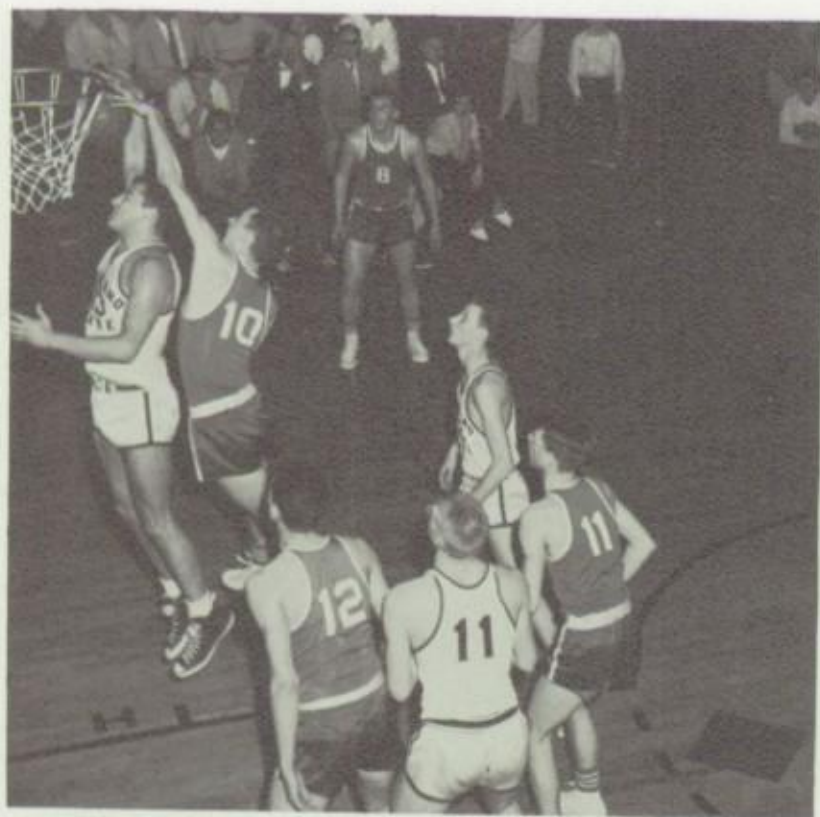


John McMeekins





Left to right are: Don Schwitter, Coach Jim Wink, John McMeekins, Ron Zill, Joe Wussles, Bob Wegert, Captain Jerry Fields, Michael Fitzgerald, James Mills, Virgil Hill and Manager Jerry Loudon.

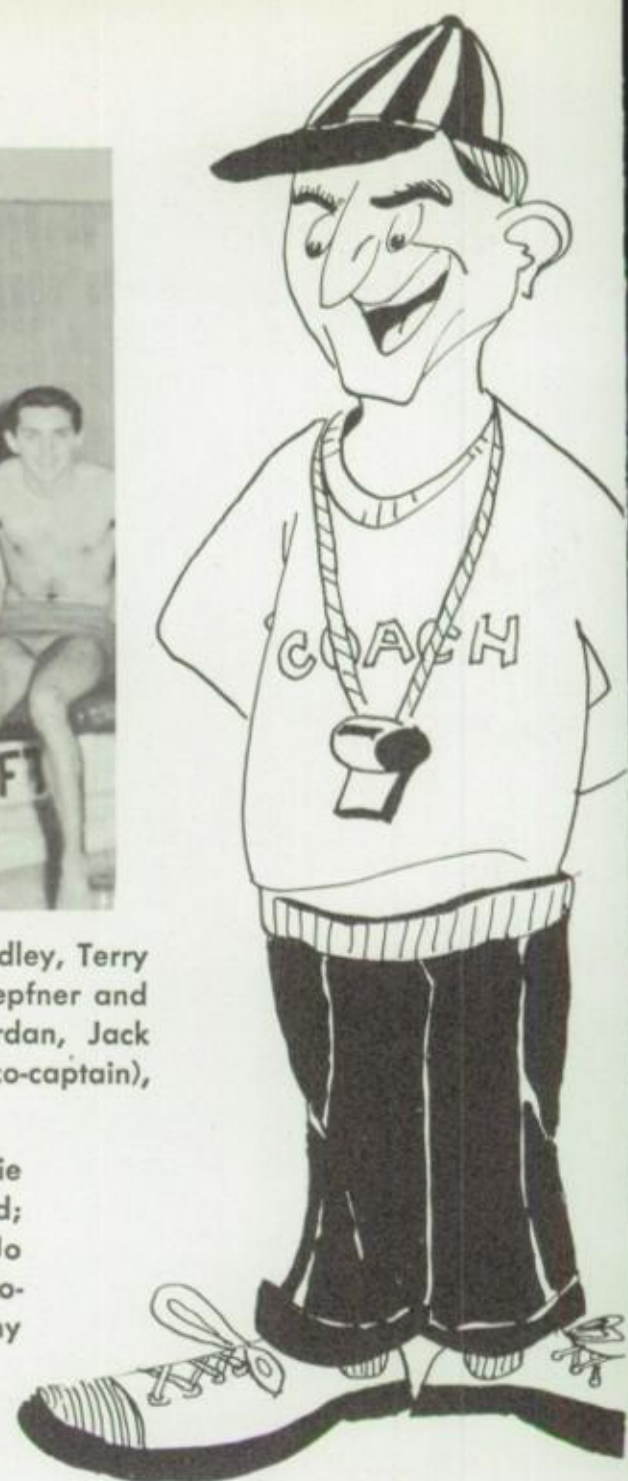






Shown above from left to right are: (first row) Charles Hess, John Kassarian, Robert Handley, Terry O'Rourke, Dave McIntyre, Dave Johnson, Joe Lynch, Alan Barron, Billy Cole, Ronald Hoepfner and Richard Slagle; (second row) Kier Campbell, Robert Butler, John Bouldry, Bill Jordan, Jack Paterson, Tom Jackson, Bill Stevenson, Pat McKeown (co-captain), Tim O'Rourke (co-captain), Dave Bogrette, Bob Blough and Coach Ray Mondro.

Shown below from left to right are: (on the board) Marilyn Neesley, Diane Schultz, Marjorie Pearsall, Letitia Pinney, Charlene Markland, Dianne Dawson, Ann Stonehouse, Linda Townsend; and Gayle Guerin; (first row) Coach Mrs. Virginia Berryman, Martha Boothe, Jean Neff, Mary Jo Rashid, Nancy Nealon, Joanne Sugamosto, Carol Lampman, Ann Henney, Glenda Casey (co-captain), and Ann Shaw; (second row) Pat Courtney, Margaret Drummond, Pat Holloway, Penny Neesley, Kathryn Schuler, Carol Yap, Francis Harris, Linda Hoy, and Linda Rodden.

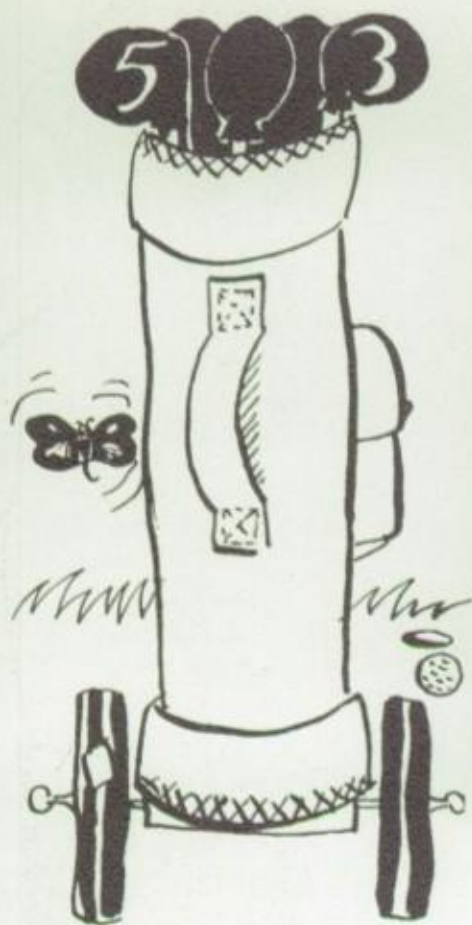


The swimming team, coached by Mr. Ray Mondro, finished the season with 3 wins and 9 losses; but they have something to be very proud of, for they broke 5 school records. Tim O'Rourke and Pat McKeown were the co-captains of this year's team.

The Parker mermaids stroked their way to victory 4 times against a record of 2 losses. Coached by Mrs. Virginia Berryman, the girls displayed good sportsmanship and team spirit. Co-captains were Beverly Register and Glenda Casey.







Above from left to right (first row): Susan Luoma, Carol Watt, Carol Yap, and Carol Robinson; (second row) Georgiana Toler, Carole Lapham, and Miss Marjorie Peiper.

Below from left to right (first row): Rosalie Throgmorton and Marie Murtonen; (in air) Marietta Taliani and Rosalie Lawrence.

#### GIRLS' GOLF

The girls' golf team finished their season with 3 wins and 2 losses. Carole Lapham was considered one of the best golfers as she played first round. Other members of the team were Susan Luoma, Carol Watt, Carol Robinson, Georgiana Toler and Carol Yap.

#### MODERN DANCE

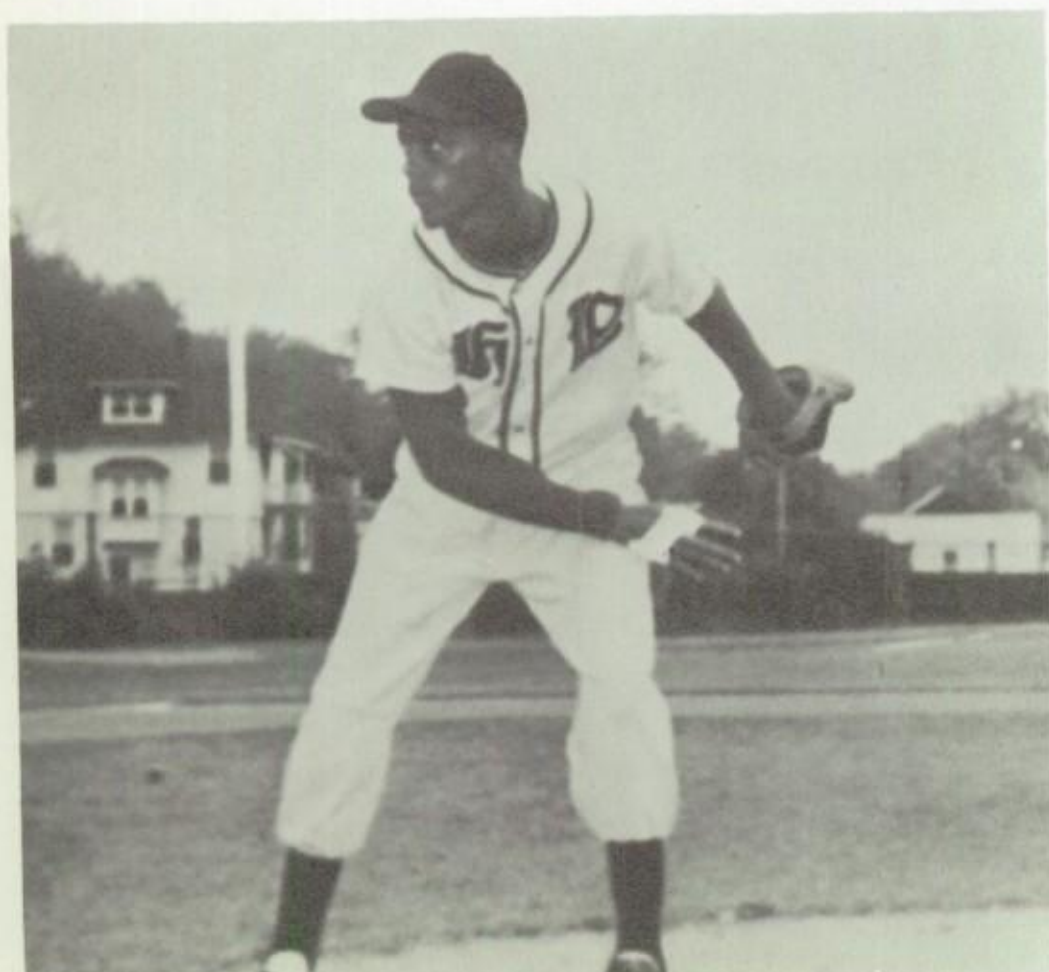
Modern dance class offers H.P. girls a chance to gain poise and confidence in themselves. It also gives the girls a chance to exercise their creative imagination in working out new choreographies. They displayed these efforts in their annual dance concert sponsored by Miss Marilyn Yarmain on March 31.







Shown above from left to right are: (first row) Fernando Bojorquez, Loyde Barker, Larry Burkhart, George Duncan, Dick Brown, Van Chandler, John Kachadourian; (second row) Joe Beattie, Ben Wilson, Jack Reynolds, John McMeekins, Virgil Hill, Thurman Taylor, Chuck Munyon; (third row) Jim Stephens, Joe Wussells, Bill Reed, Dom Pallazzolo, Dave Northcross, Ron Robertson, Bill Chestnut.



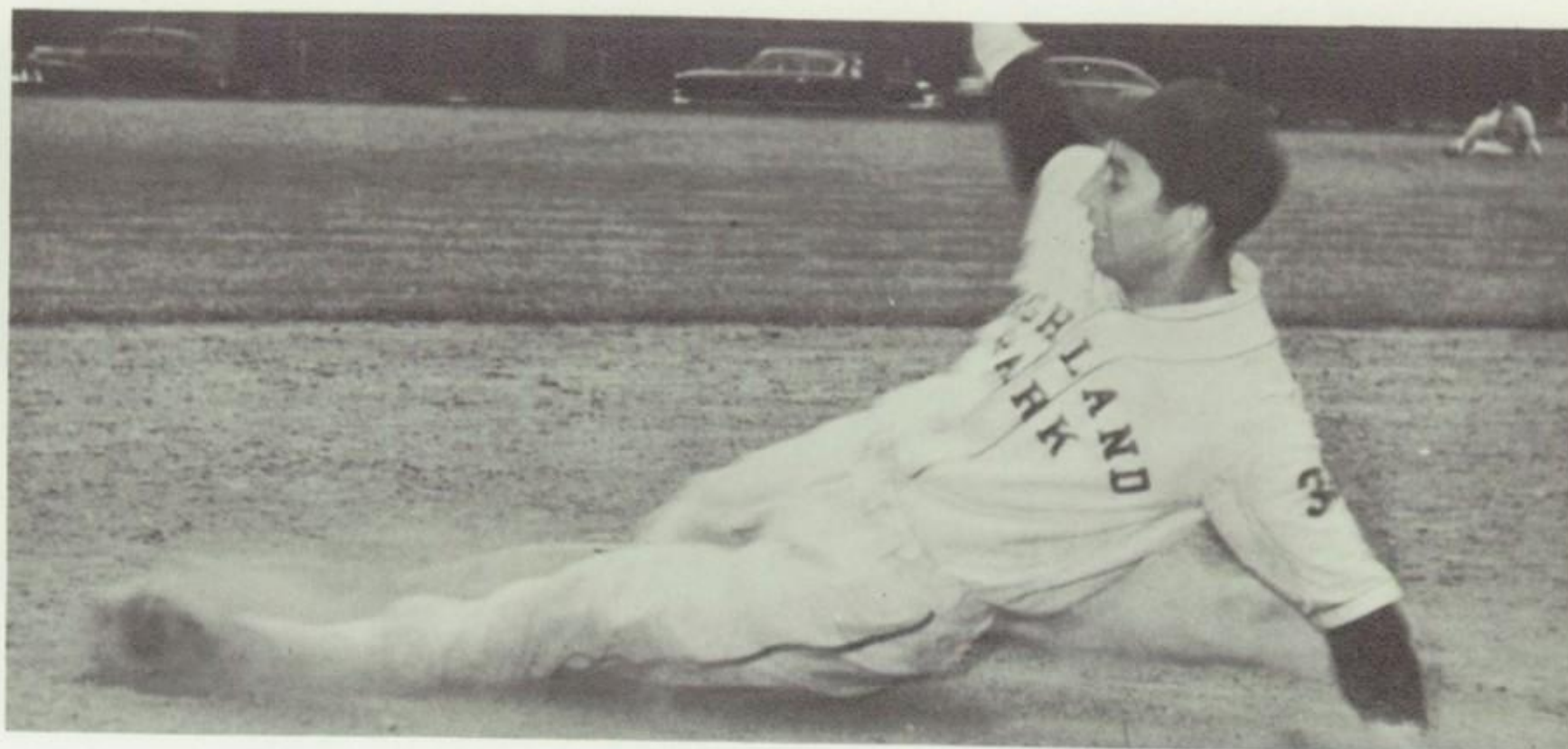
Under the coaching of Mr. Alan Hutchins, the Highland Park High School's baseball team with seven wins and five losses, placed second in the Border Cities League.

Top hitter on the team was Catcher Joe Wussells, whose batting average of .316 helped in the winning of games. Another factor toward success was the great job of pitching done by George Duncan and Jack Reynolds.

Dick Brown, captain of the team, who had the second highest batting average of .262, aided his teammates with a fine job on first base.

Returning to the team this year were Don Palazzolo, David Northcross, John McMeekins, Fernando Bojorguez, Joe Wussells, Bill Reid, Virgil Hill, and Ben Wilson.





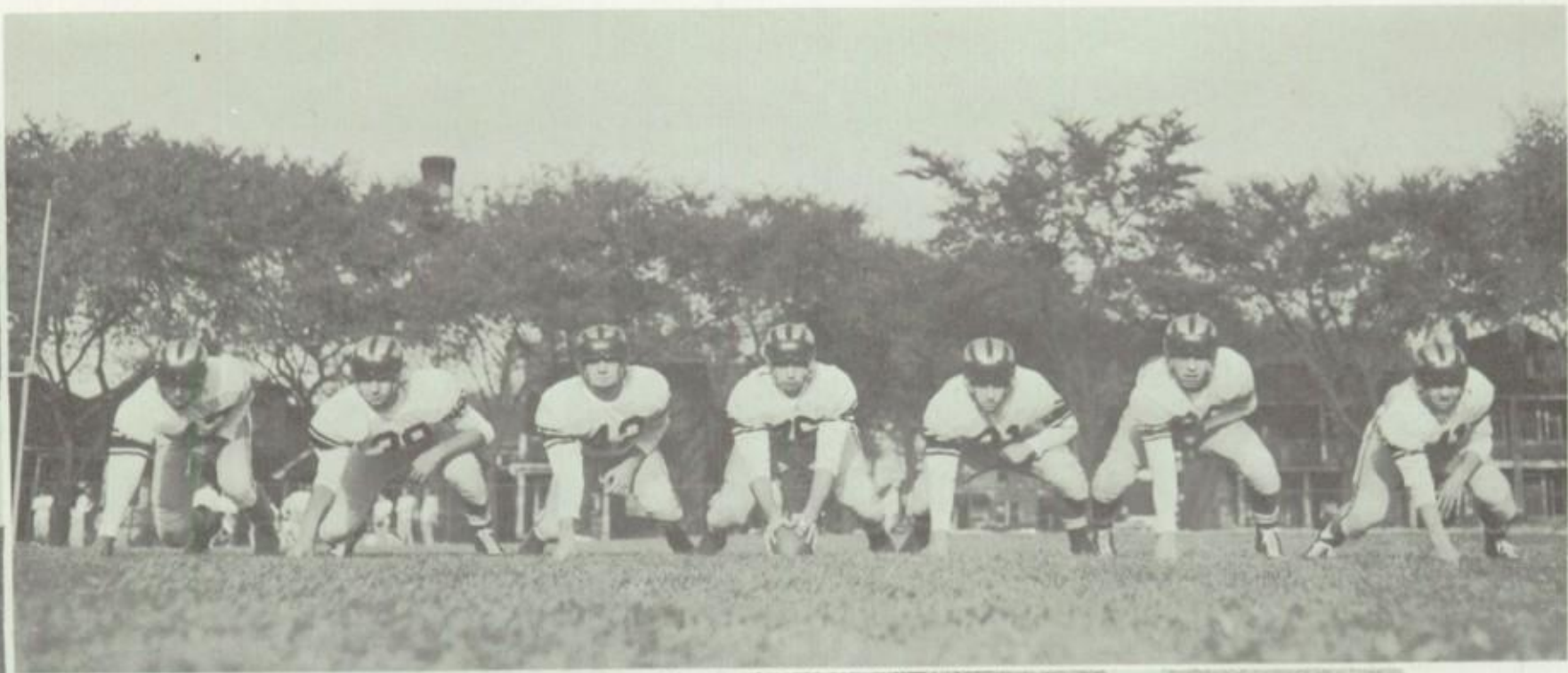
	Opp.	Hp.
Fordson	1	5
Grosse Pointe	3	2
Hamtramck	1	4
Monroe	2	3
Royal Oak	6	7
Wyandotte	1	3

#### RESULTS OF 1954 SEASON

Fordson	0	1
Grosse Pointe	2	0
Hamtramck	4	2
Monroe	4	2
Royal Oak	6	3
Wyandotte	1	3







## Football



### RESULTS OF 1954 SEASON

	Opp.	H.P.
Port Huron .....	20	0
Wyandotte .....	34	0
Hamtramck .....	21	6
Fordson .....	27	0
Grosse Pointe .....	20	0
Monroe .....	18	0
Lincoln Park .....	13	6
Royal Oak .....	38	6

Coach Jerry Raymond returned to his alma mater, and along with his new assistant, Coach Dan Sestak, took over the reins of the Highland Park High School 1954 football team. Despite its efforts, the Highland Park eleven lost all eight of its scheduled games. The loss record now stands at twenty-four straight in three years.

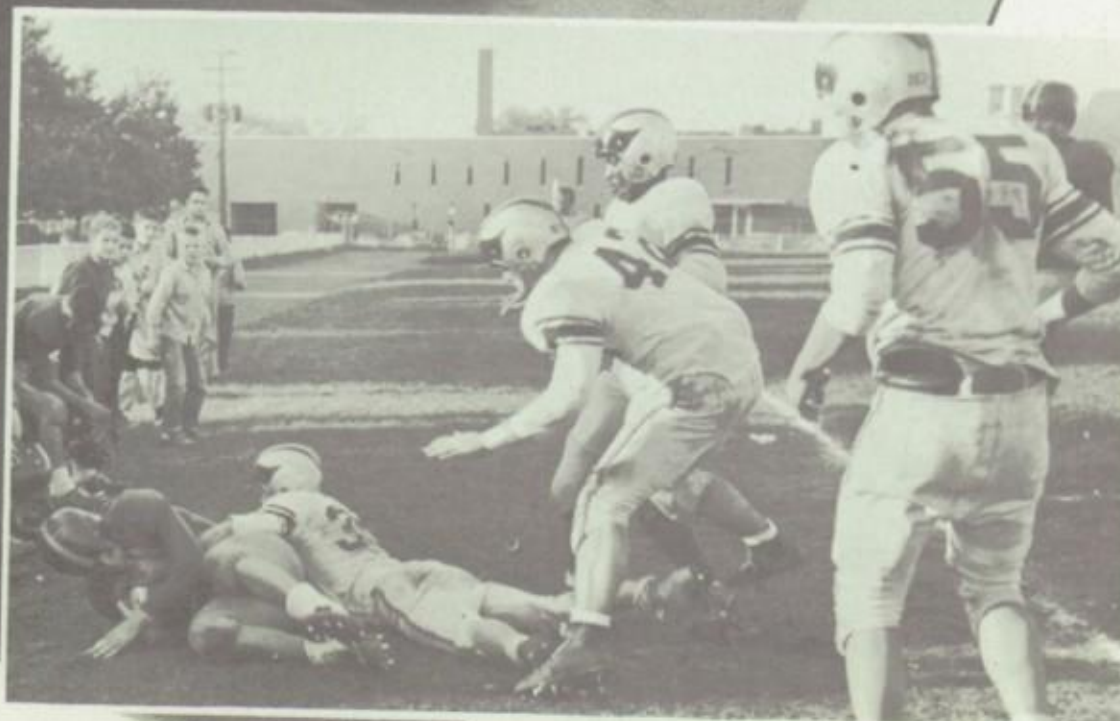




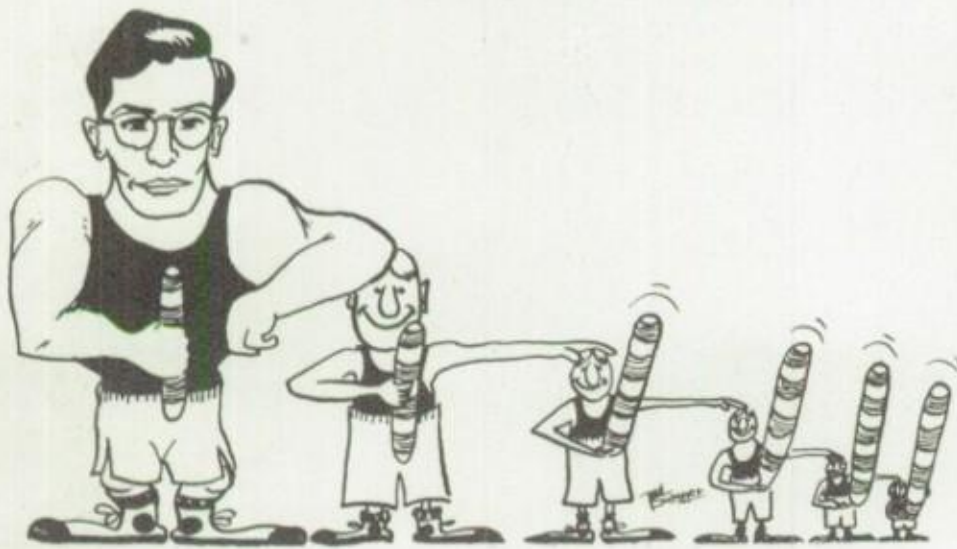
Bob Binkleman was elected captain and Dave Northcross was chosen as the best defensive player by their fellow teammates.

Graduation claimed fifteen Highland Park High gridders. They are: Phil Baia, Bob Binkleman, Bill Coger, Luke Collins, Van Chandler, Phil Hay, Tom Lewis, Joe Lynch, Rabon McHenry, Jim Munson, George Rakolta, Bill Reed, Bill Scott, Jim Stevens and Dick Yarmy.

Managers this year were Tom Pride, Gerry Lauden, and Paul Chilian.





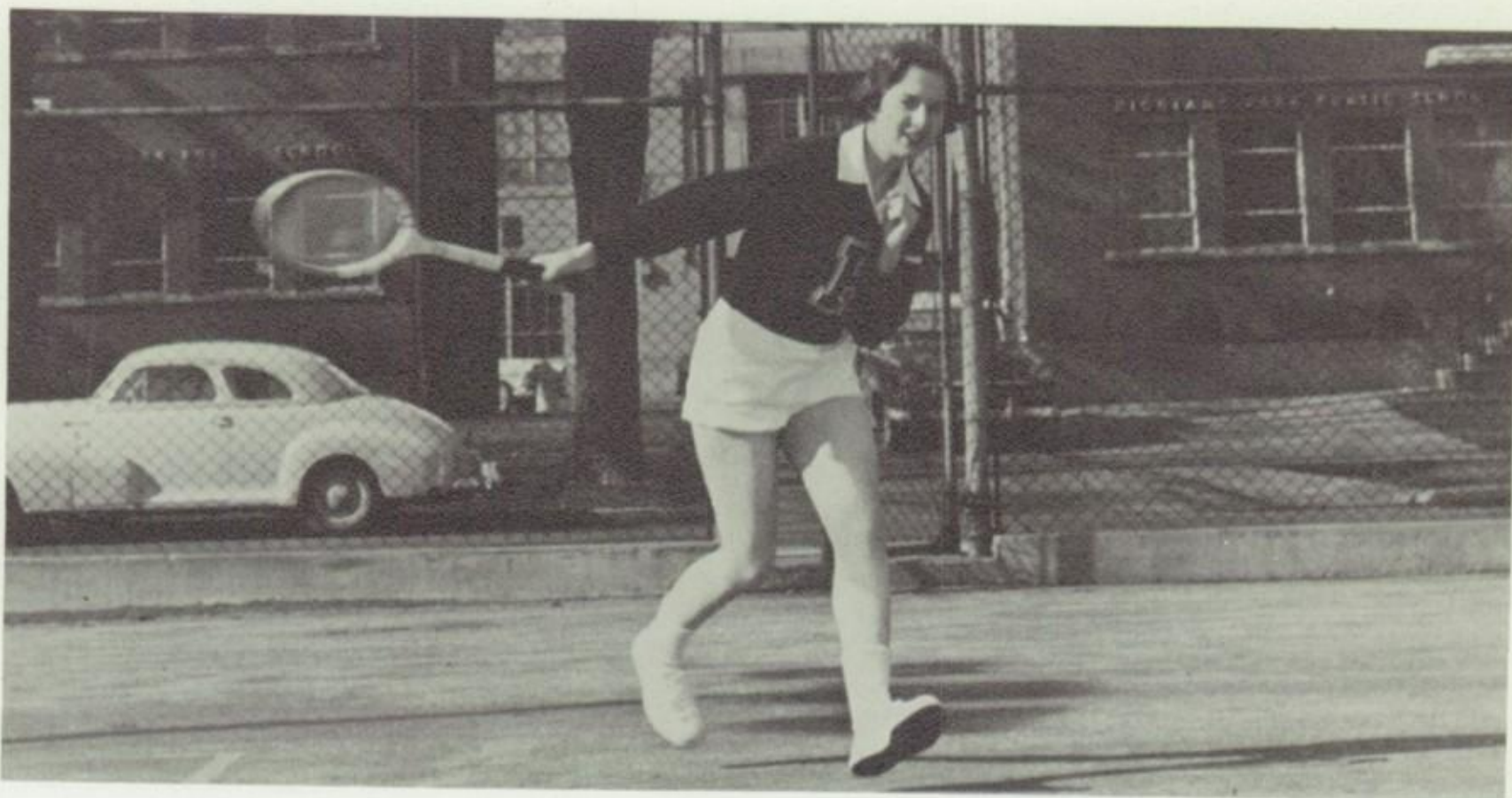


The track team, under the direction of Coach Edward McMullen, finished second in the Border Cities League with four wins and two losses. Winning meets were with Grosse Pointe, Monroe, Wyandotte, and Hamtramck, but the Parkers dropped decisions to Royal Oak and Fordson.

Trackmen who were outstanding in the 1954 season were: Leroy Blont, William Coger, Co-Captain Terry Dumas, Jerry Fields, Phil Hay, George Lee, Joe Lynch, Jim Munson, Rabon McHenry, Co-Captain Doug Runnels, Willie Russell and Vartkes Tadian.

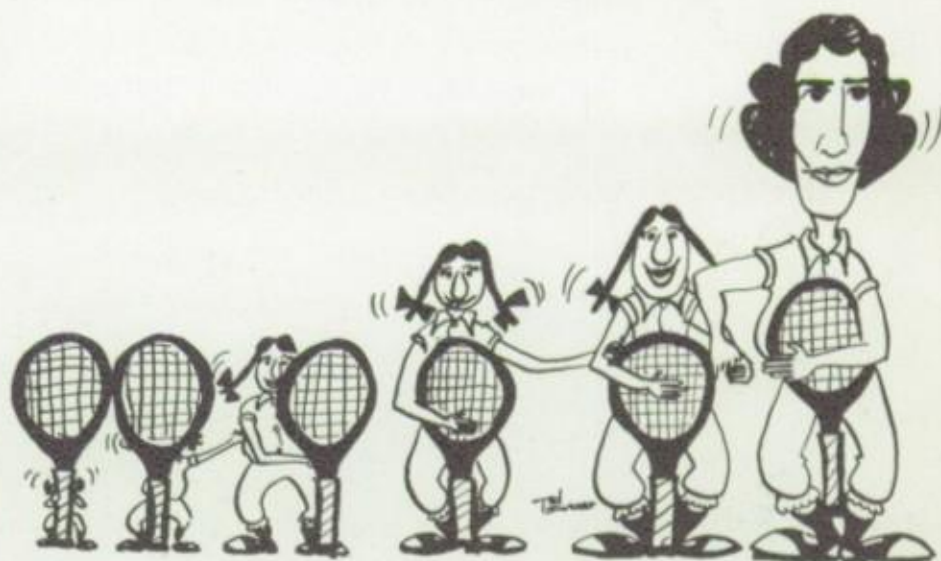






Although the Highland Park Boys' Tennis team, under the coaching of Mr. Ray Mondro, only won one meet and lost nine, they placed third in the State Regionals and gained valuable experience for the 1955 season.

The girls' tennis team began their practice early in April. Returning to practice from last year's team are Anne Burdette, Margie Pearsall, Jill Arnold, Mary McLosky and Rosalie Throgmorton. The team was coached by Mrs. Virginia Berryman.







The girls' basketball team, coached by Miss Marjorie Peiper, completed their season with 1 win and 5 losses over Southeastern. Regardless of their record, these girls felt they learned to play a better game. This was accomplished through new techniques and greater teamwork.

One win and five losses was the record at the close of the season for the Girls' Field Hockey team. A tight game with Pershing brought the varsity's lone win, a 1-0 victory. The reserve squad lost three games, tied two, and won one. Pershing was loser to the reserves, too.

Graduation claims three regulars of the Hockey team this year. They are Sharon Morgan, Vertie Ellis, and Marilyn Niva.







The reserve cheerleaders cheer only at home activities. They also help keep up the school spirit during reserve games. Both varsity and reserve cheerleaders were coached by Mrs. Virginia Berryman. Unforgettable are the Polar Bears mascots who were always seen at football games dancing around and doing stunts. This year's Polar Bears were Suzee Menold, Anne Burdett, Florence LeFeuvre, and Beverly Oglesby.

Gathered around the Highland Park cheerleaders' drum, are the cheerleaders leading the H-I speller. This is only one of the many cheers which they lead at school activities. Some of these were football games, basketball games, pep rallies, and pep assemblies. Throughout the entire season, these girls have helped keep school spirit and good sportsmanship at its peak at Highland Park.





# UNDERGRADS

**THIS IS SCHOOL SPIRIT** . . . Undergrads, that large body of students bound together by a common purpose . . . The seeds have been planted deep and it's up to them to reap the harvest and keep that spirit alive at H. P. H. S.









With flying streamers, car horns honking, people yelling and all-over confusion, the 1954 Pep Rally got under way. The purpose of this rally was to get more people to attend the football games, to promote a stronger feeling of sportsmanship and to arouse more interest in activities at Highland Park High School.

The rally was sponsored by Homeroom Y, promoted by the City Council and backed by the Student Senate. It started with twenty-five gaily-decorated cars leaving the school playground and going to Ives Field, escorted by a group of police cars and motorcycles. These cars were entries for a contest that was to be judged at the rally. All cars were entered and decorated by different homerooms.

Following that everyone went over to the stack of wood piled around a pole from which a dummy of a Hamtramck football player was hung. The bonfire was lit and the cheerleaders moved around the fire and led the crowd in rousing cheers.



## PEP RALLY



### MIDDLE ROW:

While speeches were being made, the band, under the direction of Mr. John Blanock, stood quietly at attention.

### BOTTOM PHOTO:

Two cheerleaders got a free, but cold, ride on one of the cars decorated for the parade.





## PEP RALLY



### MIDDLE PHOTO:

A few of the twenty-five cars which made up the long parade.

### BOTTOM PHOTO:

The car that took first place in the contest. It was entered by Homeroom MA. The decorations showed true football spirit.





# Seniors



Abbott, Joe  
Abraham, Barbara  
Allie, Hassan  
Anderson, Pat  
Arnold, Gene  
Assad, Clara  
Baldwin, Mary

Barker, Loy  
Baum, Art  
Berry, Arlene  
Best, Lynn  
Black, Linda  
Blalock, Gary  
Boehm, Frances

Boyajian, Dolores  
Brown, Pauline  
Burkhart, Larry  
Burgis, Bettejane  
Burkeen, Linda  
Calhoun, Barbara  
Campaine, Dessine

Casey, Glenda  
Chapton, Sherry  
Chisa, Ray  
Cholody, Gerald  
Christie, Jane  
Ciocan, Marilyn  
Coleman, Linda

Coleman, Thelma  
Coons, Aleta  
Dean, Eddie  
Desante, Martha  
Dunn, Iris  
Dunne, Judy  
Feinstein, Hannah

Forrester, Martha  
Franks, Grace  
Fraser, John  
Frazier, Grace  
Fitzgerald, Gerald  
Garian, Butch  
Gibbons, Lois

Godfrey, Bob  
Griem, Nedra  
Handley, Bob  
Hansen, Eleanor  
Harris, Barbara  
Hays, Dave  
Herman, Bob

Holz, Richard  
Hughes, Helen  
Jackson, Tom  
Johnson, Bonnie  
Johnson, Dave  
King, Mary Lou  
Kinsley, Percy

Kohl, Susie  
Korn, Fred  
Koukoulis, Gus  
Lambert, Shirley  
LeBranc, Jim  
Lipsey, Velma  
Loudon, Gerald

Manzagol, Bob  
Marcus, Nicholas  
Martin, Caryl  
Martin, Marian  
Marvin, Forest  
McIntyre, Dave  
McMahon, Curt

Messelian, Norman  
Michael, Lena  
Miller, William  
Monahan, Guy  
Neff, Jean  
Newcomb, Sharon  
Nicholson, Arlene



# Seniors

Northcross, Dave  
Northrup, Tom  
Palmore, Sandra  
Pappas, Takis  
Parks, Dave  
Pearsall, Marjie  
Pulkki, Katherine

Restum, Allie  
Rowell, Carol  
Ruopp, Dave  
Salem, Ahmed  
Shargabian, Karl  
Smith, Lee  
Stewart, Carrielyn

Sumner, Ted  
Thompson, Beverly  
Toler, Georgiana  
Trent, Luther  
Turner, Irma  
Vickers, Joyce  
Wegert, Bob

Westerdale, Joyce  
Wiemer, Bob  
Wilson, Benny  
Wilson, Don  
Yurow, Paul  
Zarembski, Jerome  
Coosaia, Jeanne

Bentley, Sharon



Shown above from left to right are the 12B Class Officers: (seated) Glenda Casey, 12B Vice-President; Linda Black, 12B Secretary; (standing) Bob Godfrey, 12B President; Tom Jackson, 12B Treasurer.



# Juniors



Abee, Jerry  
Adams, James  
Ajamian, Susie  
Ahlert, Carol  
Albert, Georgiana  
Alderton, David  
Aldrich, Bob

Allen, Robert  
Alton, Freda  
Alvey, Ron  
Amadori, Tony  
Armstrong, Edward  
Austin, Robert  
Avery, John

Baiz, Judy  
Balan, Jack  
Barakat, Leila  
Barron, Alan  
Bates, Mary  
Austin, Robert  
Bauldry, Jack

Beaman, Don  
Beattie, Bill  
Beck, Sally  
Becker, Margaret  
Beylerian, RoseMary  
Birkenhaner, Carl  
Bloueh, Bob

Bjorkman, Shirley  
Bjorn, Elizabeth  
Blackwell, Lamarr  
Blewett, Dean  
Blockett, Delight  
Boal, Bob  
Bogrette, David

Boone, Barbara  
Boyd, Sam  
Brice, Jerry  
Bright, Bill  
Bright, Robert  
Broberg, Jean  
Brooks, Barbara

Brown, Mary  
Browning, Leonard  
Bullington, Frank  
Burdett, Anne  
Burnett, Reva  
Burke, Carol  
Burton, Doreen

Bynum, Lloyd  
Cannis, Ann  
Cardeccia, Jim  
Cardens, Frank  
Carne, Dorothy  
Carpenter, Jan  
Carroll, Thomas

Celebre, Frank  
Chandler, Carol  
Cheger, Donald  
Chelian, Paul  
Christoff, Chris  
Clinton, Susan  
Clinton, Walter

Cole, Bill  
Coleman, Rufus  
Cona, Loretta  
Cook, Kay  
Cooksey, Nida  
Cooper, Ralph  
Copeland, Eula

Counts, Gray  
Crawford, Sharon  
Crooks, Edith  
Davies, Pam  
Davis, Claudette  
Dayinian, Margaret  
Deloney, June



# Juniors

Demark, Gary  
DeBeauclair, Doreen  
Dicks, Margaret  
Dormey, Bonnie  
Douglas, Jane  
Drummond, Margaret  
DuHane, Janet

Duncan, Barbara  
Duncan, Carol  
Dyer, Tim  
Edman, Janice  
Edwards, Harold  
Ellison, Pat  
Estepp, June

Ferree, Sharon  
Foster, Bob  
Garabedian, Betty  
Garrett, Sallie  
Gelzer, JoAnn  
Gordy, Evelyn  
Griffin, Joe

Griffith, Kathleen  
Hagens, Lalla  
Halagian, Lucy  
Hall, Ida  
Hansen, Barbara  
Harmala, Ernest  
Hartrich, Jim

Hennemeier, Fred  
Hepola, Elvera  
Hess, Charles  
Higbee, William  
Hill, Hattie  
Hodge, Bob  
Hogan, James

Holloway, Sylvia  
Howell, Joyce  
Hudson, Eugene  
Hudson, Ruth  
Hulme, Sandra  
Immonen, Dick  
Isaac, Marie

Jacobs, Paul  
Jacques, Patricia  
Johns, Mary  
Jones, Wanda  
Jordan, Katherine  
Jouppi, Eugene  
Kahler, Shirley

Kalish, Lydia  
Kassarjian, John  
Keliker, Martha  
Kelly, Dave  
Kinsey, Clyde  
Kinsey, Gregory  
Kish, Beverly

Kniespeck, Margaret  
Korvela, Carol  
Lambert, Sharleen  
Lampman, Ruth  
Langley, Carl  
Lank, Darlene  
Lapham, Carole

Lee, Jean  
Lee, Shirley  
LeFeuvre, Florence  
Lehman, Dave  
Leverett, Robert  
Lindley, Nancy  
Lyons, Charlotte

Mackay, Anita  
MacKenzie, Sandy  
Markland, Juanita  
Matchett, Joan  
Matlock, Nancy  
Matthews, Carolyn  
McClary, Elreatha





# Juniors



McCormick, Delores  
McCuiston, Loretta  
McGeath, Rhea  
McLellan, Gerald  
McMeekins, John  
McNinch, Bonnie  
Medved, Michael

Melone, Myrna  
Menold, Suzanne  
Minark, Rosemary  
Mitchell, Darnell  
Moilanen, Caesar  
Montanero, Mary  
Morrison, Sharon

Mullins, Freda  
Mullins, Shirley  
Neesley, Marilyn  
Newston, Alice  
Norris, Georgiana  
Oden, Joanne  
Oglesby, Beverly

Olbrich, Karen  
Oldham, Phyllis  
O'Rourke, Terry  
Paterson, Jack  
Paul, Pauline  
Pernell, Arthur  
Perpich, Joe

Perusek, Barbara  
Petack, Dolores  
Peters, Kendra  
Peterson, Kathleen  
Peterson, Ronald  
Phifer, Mary  
Phillips, Bryan

Pickering, Jennifer  
Pilate, Ed  
Precup, Betty  
Price, Bob  
Proen, John  
Pulkki, Phyllis  
Qualls, Sylvia

Quinn, Bill  
Quinn, Victoria  
Ragen, Ernest  
Raines, Hal  
Randles, Eleanor  
Ray, Melva  
Rayford, Mayes

Rayford, Mildred  
Redick, Martin  
Reno, Marteena  
Restum, Fred  
Rice, Roy  
Richardson, Jim  
Richards, John

Roberts, Shirley  
Robinson, Everett  
Rogers, Bobbie  
Rogers, Phillips  
Rozycki, Ron  
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 Smith, Faye  
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 Wilson, Sharon

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 Wooten, Patricia  
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Allen, Frank  
Allison, Carole

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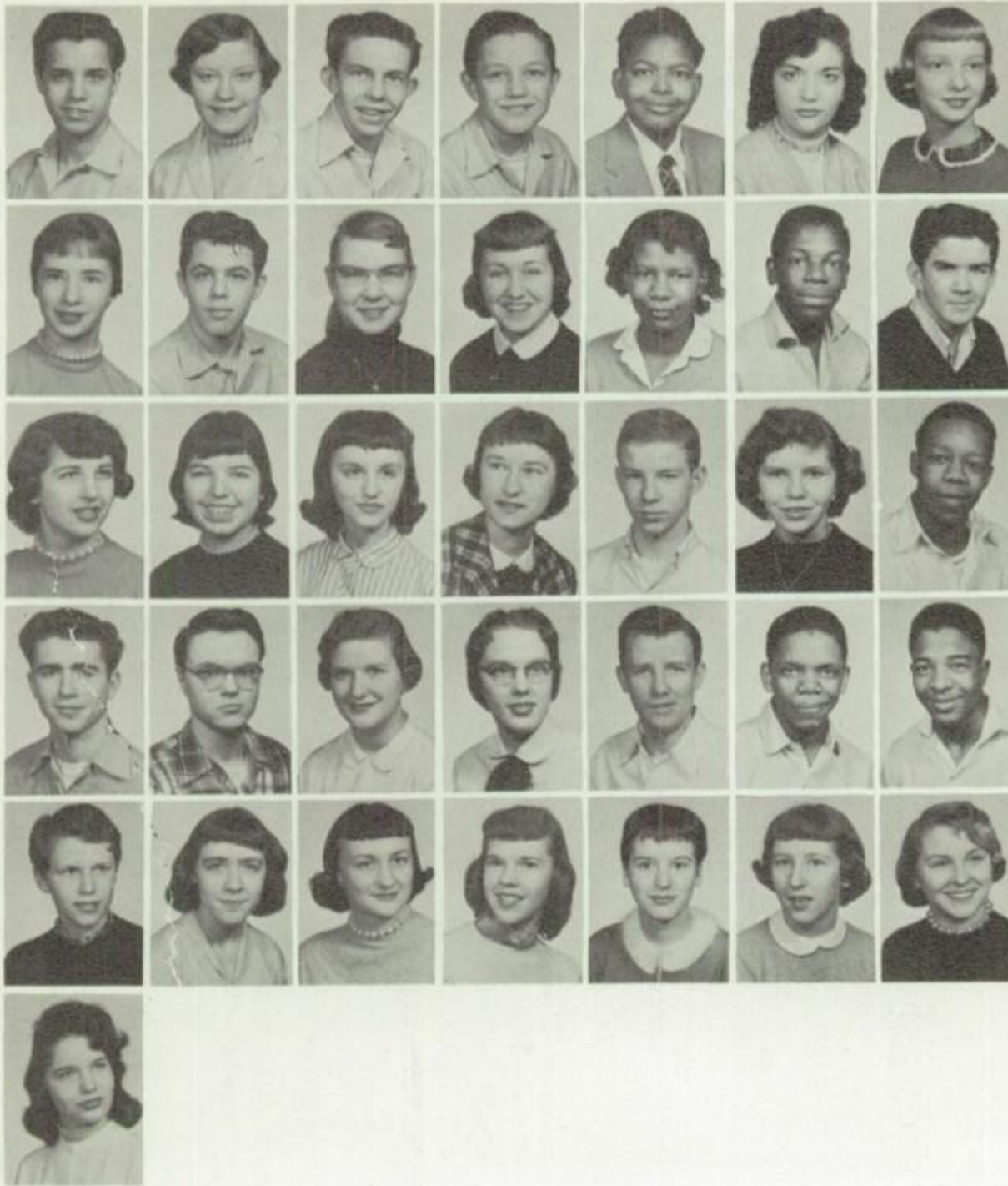
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Arteto, George  
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Bonnie, Beal  
Bose, Jacqueline  
Breck, Douglas

Brenner, Millicent  
Brooks, Beverly  
Brown, Conchetta  
Brown, Richard  
Browne, Norman  
Brown, Robert  
Browning, James

Browning, Ronnie  
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Bunker, Susan  
Burton, William  
Cain, Brenda  
Calhoun, Bill  
Cannis, John

Cardens, Arthur  
Carpenter, Wade  
Carroway, Jim  
Carter, Martha  
Cassidy, Tom  
Chariton, Edward  
Cheek, Robert

Cherry, James  
Chidester, Len  
Cleavinger, Gail  
Climer, Nancy  
Coakley, Patricia  
Cole, Dilagene  
Cole, James

Collet, Beverly  
Colman, Carol  
Congleton, Mary  
Conley, Harold  
Conway, Gail  
Cook, Mabeline  
Cooney, Maralynn

Cotten, JoAnn  
Craft, Harry  
Crawford, Judy  
Crumbaker, Jim  
Czar, Lorne  
Dabio, John  
Dalling, Jack





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Dare, Garnett  
Darin, Tom  
Davis, Neil  
Dawson, Edith  
Dean, Pat

Dixon, Ann  
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Donaldson, Dennis  
Douglas, Mike  
Downs, Richard  
Duckworth, Marilyn  
Dukemineer, Carolyn

Dumas, Warris  
Dunn, Johnny  
Dunnne, Sheila  
Dyer, Melvin  
Edwards, Richard  
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Ferguson, John  
Fletke, Terry  
Fogle, Gladys  
Foiwell, Bob  
Franklin, Bertha

Fraser, Walter  
Fye, Tommy  
Gaffney, Eugene  
Gailliard, Alvin  
Garrison, Hilda  
Gerjekian, Richard  
Ghannam, Alda

Gilberston, Johanna  
Glaser, Carol  
Goin, Marilyn  
Graham, Geneva  
Gray, Judy  
Gregory, Roy  
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Gutzi, Pat  
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Hagopian, Margaret

Hall, Lee  
Hamzey, Kamel  
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Hansen, Kenneth  
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Harding, Judy  
Harding, Marie

Harley, Bill  
Harris, Frances  
Harris, Jean  
Hart, Robert  
Hashim, Hashim  
Hay, Linda  
Haynes, Dorothy

Haynes, Shirley  
Heitmeyer, Richard  
Hepola, Katherine  
Hickman, Wesley  
Highgate, Carol  
Hill, Brenda  
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Hoke, Connie  
Holland, Linda  
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Hoskins, Willia Mae  
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 Hunter, Peter  
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 Ivie, Norma  
 Jackson, Joe  
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 Joanise, Cloie  
 Johns, Elizabeth  
 Johnson, Donald  
 Johnson, Jessie  
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Jones, Barbara  
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 Kirby, Judy  
 Koivu, Eleanor

Korn, Toby  
 Laffin, Nada  
 Lamoureux, William  
 Lapham, Audrey  
 Lawhead, Vivian  
 Lazar, Penny  
 Lazarus, Gus

Lee, David  
 Lee, Dorothy  
 Perchman, Marvin  
 Lett, Alvin  
 Lines, Pete  
 Long, Lucy  
 Longdyke, Harold

Lovejoy, Harold  
 Lupro, Don  
 MacCartan, Steve  
 Mackey, Alice  
 Majestic, JoAnn  
 Malcolm, Joyce  
 Manion, Shirley

Manning, Ludy  
 Marchison, Bill  
 Marine, Johnny  
 Marshall, Roselee  
 Mason, Fred  
 Mattox, John  
 Mavis, Dolores

Mayes, Norma  
 McCarthy, David  
 McCaw, Ann  
 McCaw, JoAnne  
 McClain, Alan  
 McClure, Betty  
 McClure, Joyce

McConnell, Robert  
 McCoy, Eddie  
 McCracken, Alvin  
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Miller, Beverly  
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Montgomery, Beverly  
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Newman, Patricia  
Nusley, Penny  
Ohawian, Susan  
Oldham, Carla  
Olds, Roger  
Olin, Beverly  
Oliver, Gayle

Olson, Evelyn  
O'Neal, Billy  
Orr, Carol  
Osborne, Nancie  
Osgood, Brad  
Otis, Allison  
Page, Jessie Mae

Parker, Jettie  
Patterson, Nancy  
Paul, Judie  
Peckinpugh, Barbara  
Peal, Wilbert  
Phifer, Eugene  
Phillips, Bernard

Phillips, Dolores  
Pickard, Sharon  
Pier, Ronnie  
Poe, Linda  
Powers, Sandra  
Pride, Thomas  
Prince, Bob

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Pruitt, Ralph  
Pryor, David  
Pucklus, Chuck  
Quillen, Rachel  
Quinn, Jowynna  
Quinn, Ralph

Rambeau, James  
Rashid, Dave  
Reno, Ronald  
Restum, Sharon  
Revello, Nancy  
Richards, Jim  
Ridey, Douglas

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Roberts, Donald  
Roberts, Janice  
Robinson, Arlene  
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Sanford, Kenneth  
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Teninty, Larry  
Thibault, Dorothy  
Thompson, Carol  
Tobias, Ronald  
Toumajian, Anita

Trent, Donald  
Tudor, Wanda  
Turner, Arthur  
Turner, Betty  
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Turner, Richard  
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Washington, Sandra  
Wasson, Donna  
Watt, Bill

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Westerdale, Claudia  
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White, George  
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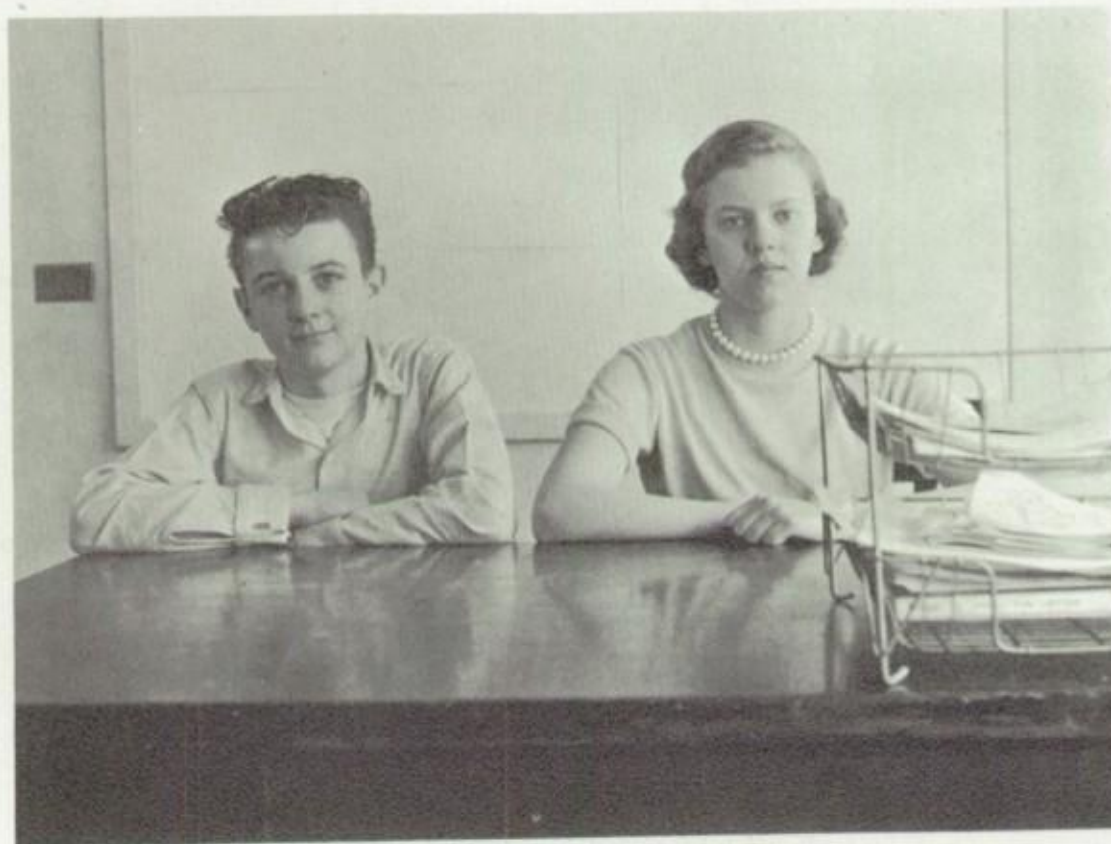


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Woods, Jean Barbara  
Yago, Charles  
Zaidan, Charles  
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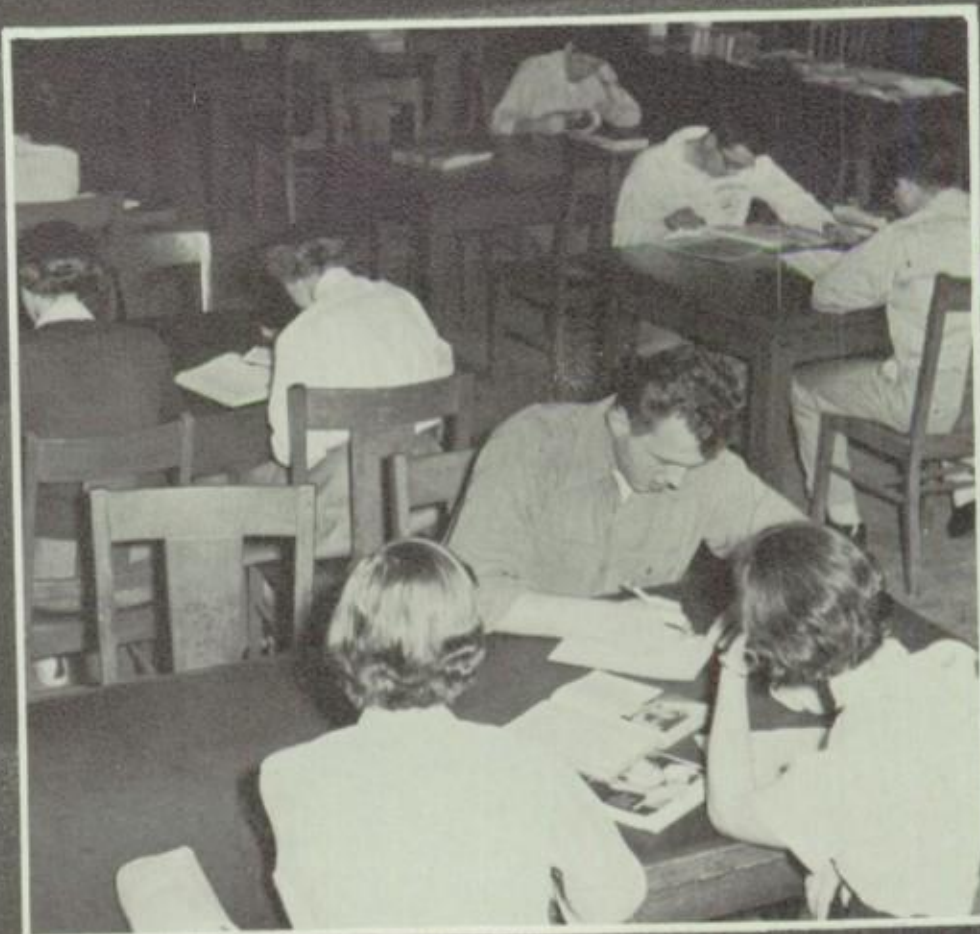
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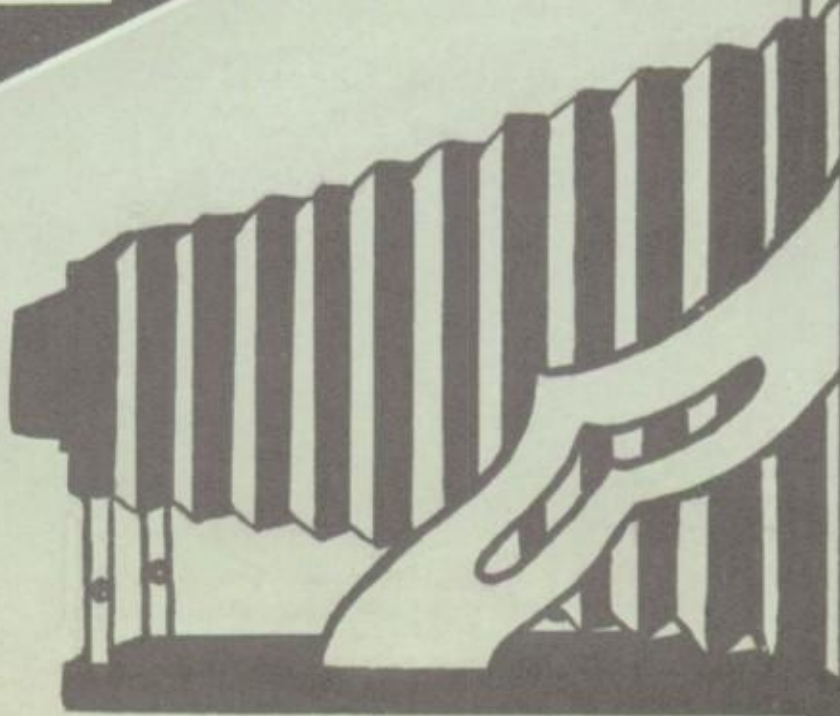


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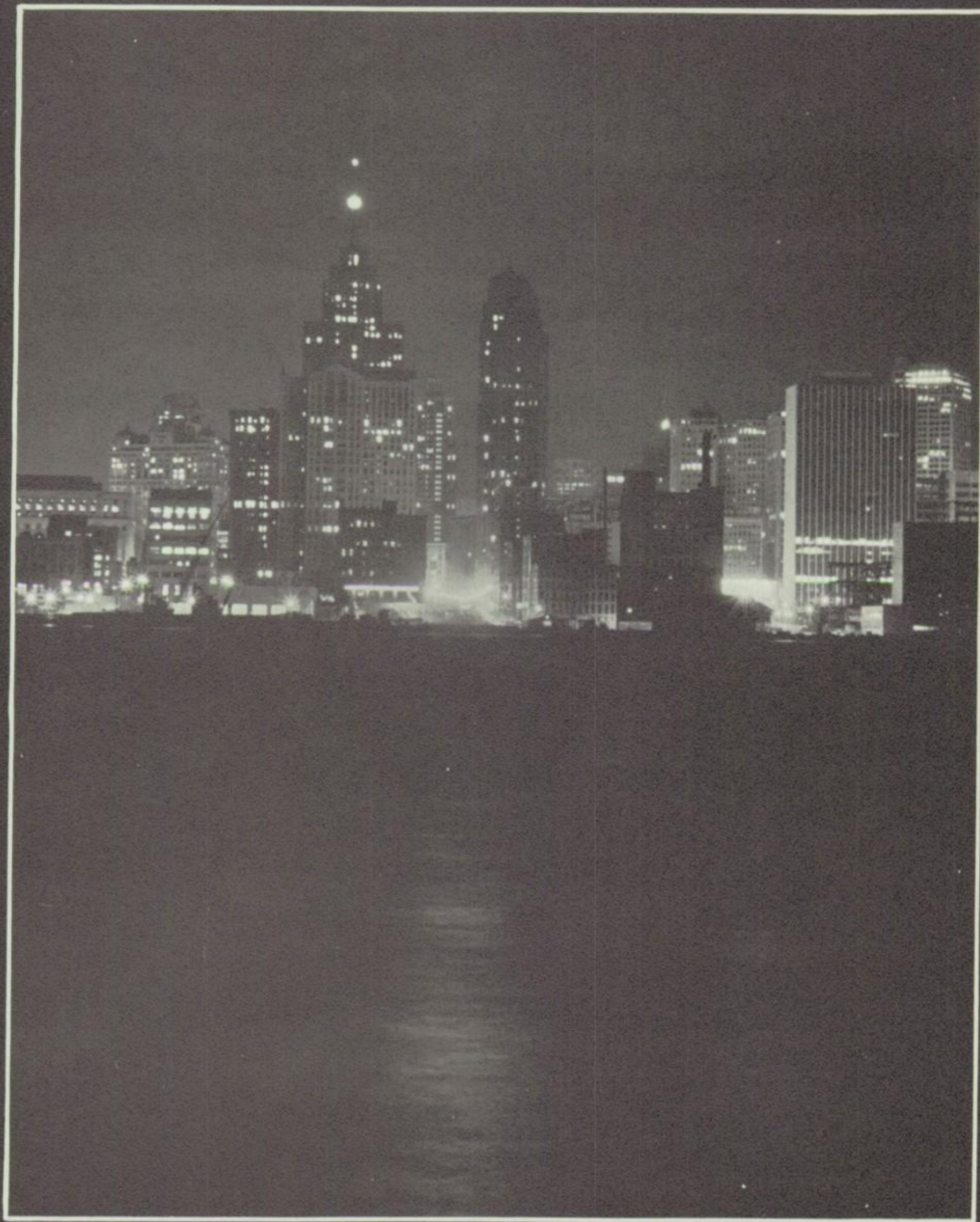




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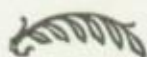
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Highly accepted by the student body, the fall sales soared high.

The general chairman for the show was Pam Merrill. The advisers were Mr. Joseph Miller and Mr. Alfred Burke. Plans were started for a show for the spring campaign.





Shown from left to right are: (first row) Fred Gunderson, Joe Lynch, Pat McKeown, John Butler and Jim Stevens; (second row) Bill Reed, Bob Binkleman, Dave Johnson and Fernando Bojorquez; (third row) Ronnie Robertson, Jim Williams and Jim Munson.

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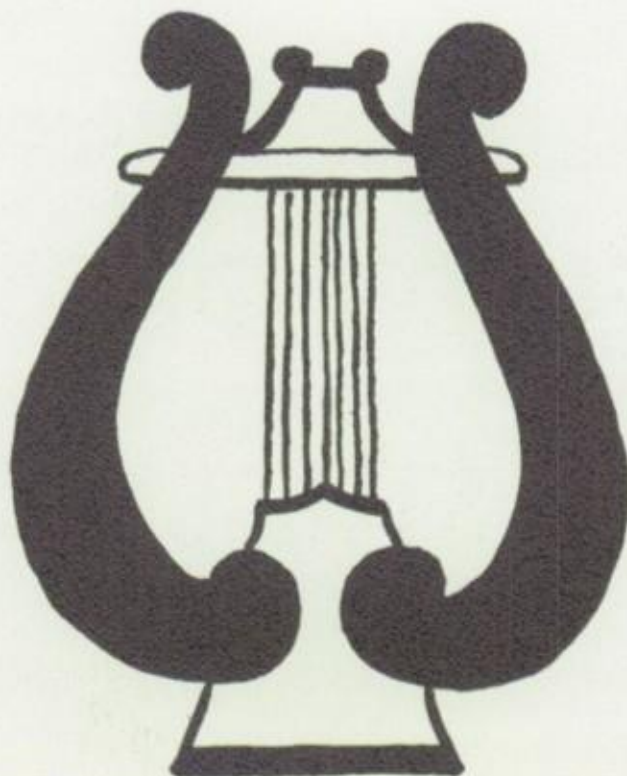
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The yearbook copy and art staffs have completed many long hours of work. The results lay between the covers of this Polar Bear. Through our efforts we have strived to record the activities, events, and campus life of H.P.H.S. in this pictorial review of 1954-55.

We have enjoyed our work and would like to offer our sincere thanks to our advisers, Mr. Joseph Miller and Mr. Alfred Burke, for their fine cooperation and guidance, and to all other persons connected with the production of this annual.

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